

NIGHT EDITION

HEART FAILURE

Man Dropped Dead in Massachusetts Dye House

John Bobke, aged, about 30 years, dropped dead shortly before 8 o'clock this morning while at work in the dye house of the Massachusetts mills. It is thought that death was due to heart failure.

The man was apparently in the best of health when he entered the place at 6:30 o'clock this morning and was going about his work in the usual manner. Shortly before 8 o'clock one of his fellow-employees saw him stagger and fall to the floor.

The ambulance was sent for, but when it arrived an examination of the man showed that he was dead. The body was then removed to the funeral parlors of Undertaker Peter H. Savage in Worthen street where it was viewed by Medical Examiner J. V. Meigs.

ON MURDER CHARGE

Hearing in Police Court is Again Postponed

District Attorney Higgins Was Unable to Attend—Nicholas Paparos Who Did the Shooting is Still at Large—Hearing Fixed for Next Friday

The inability of District Attorney John J. Higgins to be present in Lowell today to conduct the preliminary examination of Michael Pachourous,

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NICHOLAS PAPAROS
Wanted for Murder

The minor cases had been disposed of and the court was ready to proceed with the murder hearing. Bennett Silverblatt, representing the defendant, informed Judge Hadley that he had been notified by the district attorney that it would be impossible to come to Lowell today owing to a pressure of business. Judge Hadley does not like such delays and also informed Mr. Silverblatt and finally agreed to a continuance until next Friday.

Maria Loukou, the chief witness, was held under \$500 bail and the other witnesses who recognized to appear at the preliminary hearing were Medical Examiner J. V. Meigs, Dr. Charles E. Simpson of the Lowell hospital, Dr. J. C. Ayer, and Dr. J. V. Meigs.

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SALE OF MINES

TO PANAMAN ORE CO. DECLARED DISSOLVED

CARACAS, Ven., March 31.—The court of first instance has declared dissolved the contract of the government for the sale of the Imataca iron mines to the Panaman Ore Co.



MARCH OF THE OLD SIXTH THROUGH BALTIMORE

The rather remarkable picture accompanying this article was sent to Mayor John F. Meehan by William P. Gilmore of Salem Depot, N. H. Mr. Gilmore was a member of Co. D, Old Sixth regiment. Co. D was known as "Lowell City Guards." It was to this company that Ludd, Whitney and Taylor belonged, and William P. Gilmore was in the memorable march through Baltimore when they were killed. Capt. Booth was the last commander of Co. D in this city, and the company was disbanded under him in the 70's. William P. Gilmore, the man who sent the picture to Mayor Meehan, was 18 years old when he enlisted. He was mustered in April 22, '61, and discharged August 2, '61. Later he enlisted in Co. L, 3rd Massachusetts cavalry.

CAMORRIST LEADER

Was Called for Examination at the Trial Today

Alfano is Known as the Terror of Italy—He Held Spectators Spellbound With Eloquence of His Denials—He Protests That He is a Victim of Yellow Journalism

VITERBO, Italy, March 31.—The lovers of the dramatic had their fill at today's session of the trial of the 38 members of the camorra for murder. Donato Alfano, the terror of Italy, reputed to be the actual head of the criminal organization, was under interrogation and held the spectators spellbound with the eloquence of his denials. The man is either innocent or a consummate actor. As he proceeded the slender figure seemed to grow until it dominated the courtroom and friends and enemies alike shrank from the gaze that he fixed first upon one and then another while he poured forth the most convincing arraignment of the authorities that has ever been heard in an Italian court of justice.

"I am a victim of yellow journalism," he cried. "I have been ruined by the caricatures who have made me appear as an assassin."

Erricone, as he is commonly known, could not have done it better if he had rehearsed the part for years. He began modestly and calmly, gradually raising his voice and displaying his emotions until he had his auditors enthralled.

One could have heard a pin drop

when President Bianchi commanded Erricone to come from the prisoner's steel cage and take a place before the bar. Quietly Erricone stepped forth and assumed a natural attitude without any attempt at the theatrical in front of the justice bench. He replied to the preliminary questions in a voice that was not strong but was penetrating. He denied categorically the accusations of the Informer Genaro Abatemaggio. He said that he was not in a position to condemn the Cuccolo to death. As the questioning proceeded Erricone showed signs of irritation, finally trembling with excitement. As the thrusts of the president and crown prosecutor went home, Erricone's face hardened with anger until he looked like a savage animal about to spring on its prey. Suddenly he abandoned all attempts at composure and gave reign to his feeling in an eloquent oration.

"It is a lie, a myth," he shouted. "I was neither the head or the tail of the camorra. I was a boy among the boys of the poorer class. I was no better or no worse than my mates. They say that I was quarrelsome and committed excesses. Yes; but what boy in my class of life has not done wrong or been indicted? I was ruined first by the sensationalism of that newspaper, the Mattino. That is why, although I now regret the deed, all my nerves rebelled, as a member of the staff of that paper approached me when I was arraigned in court as a murderer. I could not help splitting in his face. Then the carabinieri made me appear as an assassin. No one has a right to so stigmatize me. Not even a hardened criminal to serve own ends, becomes an assassin only after he has been condemned."

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a picture of my dear, innocent brother, dying in a prison cell, adjoining my own. In my ears ring his lamentations as he passed through the agony of death."

MANY CRIMES

ARE LAID AT THE DOOR OF ALLEGED LEADER

VITERBO, Italy, March 31.—Erricone, commonly known as Erricone, accused of being the real head of the Neapolitan camorra, and perhaps the most powerful and certainly the most feared man in Italy, was called for interrogation in the court of the assizes today. The crimes laid at this man's door are numberless.

The courtroom was crowded and the interest was intense. Those familiar with the history of the dreaded society found it difficult to realize that the man who had so long escaped the law had at last been brought to book. Even now there are grave doubts that the jury will convict him.

Under the grueling today Erricone maintained the insolent assurance which, if not disarming suspicion, repeatedly saved him from arrest. At his headquarters at the cafe Fortunato he was wont to smile blandly on those who mentioned the camera and say: "Do you really believe there is such a thing? Why, those are stories of other times."

Denied Every Accusation.

The prisoner today denied every accusation made against him and ridiculed the tradition of his power.

Erricone began his business career as an errand boy in a flower shop. Early in life he had a place of his own. Then he established a grain market and speculated in cattle, bargaining with the farmers who visited the fair. He grew wealthy and became a usurer with an office in the center of the city. He wore fine clothes and his carriages and horses attracted much at-

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INDUSTRIAL CONDITION

Bureau of Commerce and Labor Investigating in Lowell

A New Feature by Which the Government Keeps Posted on Opportunities for Labor—Government Finds Flourishing Asbestos Mine in Lowell, Vt.

Mr. F. R. G. Gordon of Haverhill, Mass., of the bureau of commerce and labor, was in town today looking into industrial conditions in this city in pursuance of a new department by the bureau of commerce and labor. For some time past the immigration bureau has conducted a distribution department which dealt with the constantly arriving immigrants providing them with information as to where there were opportunities to locate in this country. The success of this department was followed by the criticism that while the country was sending homes and work for aliens, nothing was being done for the United States citizen who was out of work. As a result the bureau of commerce and labor established this industrial report department, sending men around to all the cities and towns monthly to inquire into the existing conditions, what concerns are running and what are shut down, how many people are employed and how many are idle, how many new industries have come or are coming and how many they will employ, etc., going through all lines of business and trade. The reports sent back by the agents are not made public but are used for comparison by them, so that if a man gets into a town that needs help of a certain kind, he can at once find out where such help is available.

An Asbestos Mine.

Mr. Gordon spent some time at the office of the board of trade, gathering information and while there told of a most interesting experience that he had just before coming to Lowell. In the out of the way town of Lowell, Vt. This little town snugly settled in the Green mountains, a few miles from the Canadian border, has been for years a source of five feet of snow, boasts of the biggest and best asbestos mine in America, only recently discovered, and now being operated with great success. Mr. Gordon was sent by his department a week ago to investigate the operation

of this mine on a complaint that labor is being imported from Canada and to ascertain what kind of a field for labor exists there. In order to get there he was obliged to take a train to St. Johnsbury and proceed on the St. Johnsbury and Lake Champlain road to a little town called Johnson some 40 miles farther north and near the Canadian border.

There was no railroad connection with the town of Lowell and it was necessary to hire a team of horses and a sleigh and proceed over the road a distance of 30 miles over five feet of snow which in some parts of the road had not yet been broken through by horses and men. The first eight miles of the trip was uphill, continuously and across the mountain into Canada, and then back again until finally Lowell was reached.

On the way houses were passed against which the snow had drifted up to the roofs while surprised children peered through the top windows at the unusual sight of a team of horses plodding their way through the drifts of snow. As the party got into Lowell another heavy fall of snow came that compelled them to remain in the town for a couple of days. Mr. Gordon had no trouble in locating the mine and found its product to be of a superior kind of asbestos. He found 45 men working at the mine, all Canadian, and it was explained to him that these were the only men who understood the process of separating the asbestos from the stone, as the only other asbestos mines in the country are in Quebec and Virginia. The foreman informed him that the asbestos in the Lowell mine is of long fleecy fibre, absolutely fireproof and impervious to water, and particularly fitted for the manufacture of fire-proof curtains. He stated positively that there is enough of the product there to keep ten mills going steadily for the next 75 years. The mine was discovered by a man named Taylor, who owned the woodland there. In 1902, while he was clearing it of lumber, he noticed on the surface and just below a peculiar substance running in serpentine veins between and intertwined in layers of rock and stone. He had the substance analyzed and found that he had come across a fine specimen of asbestos. The news of the find spread and a representative of a Philadelphia family named Gallagher purchased the Taylor land for what seemed to the Vermonters the fabulous sum of \$50,000. The Gallagher family started quietly to work getting out the asbestos on experimental lines and their success was such that they formed a stock company and four years ago erected a mill, as it is called, and began the work of separating the asbestos from the stone and putting it on the market. The demand has been great and the supply is greater and the company in the spring intends to do business on a large scale. In the meantime the bureau of commerce and labor will acquaint the asbestos workers of Virginia with the existence of the new found industry in Northern Vermont.

Hand bag containing money, handkerchief, two pocketbooks and crucifix with beads attached, lost between St. Patrick's church and Fletcher's, at March 31st. Finder return to Miss M. J. Jackson, 230 Suffolk st. Reward.

tenion as he drove through the streets of Naples.

Some six years ago he surrendered the highest place in the camorra, the head of the heads of the society, to Luigi Zucchi, but it is charged that he continued in control of the organization. His nominal office was head of Vicaria, the most populous and troublesome district of Naples. He was repeatedly charged with responsibility or complicity in crimes of burglary, the "white slave" traffic, fraud against the election laws and business corruption. Several times arrested he was invariably discharged because of a lack of evidence or at the worst received light punishment. These escapes are said to have been due to his influence with the authorities, many of whom owed their office to his control over the votes of the poorer classes. For Erricone was a "good fellow" in a way, since if he robbed the rich he has often helped the poor. It was left to Count Petrosino, the American detective, to arrest and bring to justice this man who had defied the police of Italy. Following the murder of Genaro Cuccolo he was arrested and charged with instigating the crime but a way to his release was found in the false testimony of Ciro Vitarzi, "the guardian angel of the camorra." Fleeing to America he was re-arrested in Brooklyn by Petrosino and has never since been a free man. That arrest was the first practical move in the breaking up of the camorra and few here doubt that in apprehending Alfano the detective designed his own death.

Why he should have subsequently come to this country, where it was almost certain that he would be murdered, is past the understanding of all but those intimate with Petrosino's contempt of personal danger and devotion to duty.

Abatemaggio, the informer, has testified that Erricone approved the sentences of death imposed upon his traitorous associates Genaro Cuccolo and his wife Maria, and after the deed was done distributed sums of money among the assassins. These allegations, as that concerning his position in the camorra, Erricone stoutly denied in reply to the questioning of President Bianchi and the crown prosecutor, Cavaliere Santoro, today.

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NEW CITY CLERK

Will Assume His Position Tomorrow

Stephen Flynn, the newly elected city clerk, called at the city clerk's office this forenoon and met Girard P. Dorman, the man whom he defeated for office for the first time. Mr. Flynn will take office tomorrow.

Stephen Kearney, who defeated George Bowers for the office of city civil engineer, will also take office tomorrow as Mr. Bowers' term expires April 1st.

INTEREST

—BEGINS—

Monday

APRIL 3

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JOHN E. REDMOND

Tells What Ireland Would be Under Home Rule

LONDON, March 31.—John E. Redmond, leader of the Irish parliamentary party, in a statement in the Daily Mail on "What Ireland Would be Like Under Home Rule" predicts that it would be very different from what the people anticipate. The existing political dissensions, he says, would be replaced by economic, municipal and educational questions, on which the lines of cleavage would be quite different from the present day lines of political cleavage.

Then, probably, says Mr. Redmond, new classes of men would enter the political field to become members of the Irish parliament. These would come first from the ranks of the Irish gentry, cultivated men with a stake in the country, who heretofore had held aloof because they opposed the principle of home rule, but who would be a great acquisition to the political

life and with whom the question of religion would never arise.

In the second place they would be recruited from the ranks of the business and commercial classes owing to the industrial revival certain to follow the granting of home rule.

Mr. Redmond considers that the question of the nationalization of the railways would become an important means to this end. With regard to the Protestant minority the Irish leader says he is ready to accept any safeguards consistent with ordinary democratic principles but is convinced that 12 months of home rule would lay all such bogeys forever.

Lastly, Mr. Redmond thought that the idea that a financial settlement means to this end would be a serious difficulty, is quite unfounded. On the contrary he is convinced that an investigation will show that the argument founded on finance is strongest of all in favor of home rule.

SENATOR PAGE

Says Farmers Oppose Reciprocity

HYDE PARK, Vt., March 31.—In response to his invitation to the people of Vermont, issued through the press of the state, United States Senator Page of this town has received hundreds of letters giving the views of the writers on the proposed reciprocity agreement between the United States and Canada. In his invitation to the people to submit their personal conclusions and opinions to him, Senator Page said that if his action on the measure were to be determined by the editorial attitude of the papers of the state he should vote for the measure, but on the other hand, should his action be determined by the letters he received from many of the farmers he would be forced to oppose the agreement.

Senator Page, in commenting on the nature of the responses to his letter to the people, said that the farmers were very largely opposed to reciprocity. The quarrying interests, which represent a considerable investment in Vermont—are divided, although the majority of the quarry owners seem to favor the agreement.

As a rule, the professional men, such as lawyers, doctors, teachers and cler-

gymen, favor the agreement.

The senator declined to say whether he had reached a definite conclusion as to what his action on the measure would be. He explained that he did not consider it wise to make public his own opinions until there should be a diminution in the general supply of individual opinions which are being received by him from the people of the state.

WOMAN WAS ALL ALONE IN HER HOUSE

WORCESTER, March 31.—Miss Ellen Kane, aged 55, of 481 Southbridge street, bled to death in her home yesterday, with no one to give her help, after a varicose vein in her leg burst. She occupied the tenement alone, and while she was in bed the vein burst, and as she felt herself growing weak from loss of blood she made an effort to summon aid. She reached the door in time to cry out to a little girl who was passing and the girl notified neighbors, who found Miss Kane almost unconscious when they reached the house.

They called a doctor, but Miss Kane was dead before he arrived.

Medical Examiner Frederick H. Baker viewed the body and said death was due to natural causes.

AFTER-EFFECTS OF ACUTE FEVERS

Typhoid Left This Brooklyn Man a Chronic Invalid. It Was Not Until He Tried the Tonic Treatment That His Health Was Restored.

Many whose health has been wrecked by an attack of typhoid, scarlet or malarial fever or of the grip, will be interested in the manner in which one sufferer found relief from the condition in which the acute attack left him. Mr. D. A. Kephart, now living at No. 211 Richmond street, Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "About six years ago I had typhoid fever while working in a lumber camp near Altoona, Pa. The disease left my bowels in such a condition that the doctors told me I could not be cured. My bowels were inactive and bloated. I had to take strong laxatives all of the time but even that did not give me relief. My appetite was good but what I ate distressed me. I was dizzy and frequently would topple over while walking along the street.

"I was treated by several doctors and tried many kinds of medicines but nothing helped me until I tried Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I gave them a good trial with the result that my bowels became regular. My blood soon became in good condition and I have been well ever since."

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A FREE FIGHT

At Baseball Game in Atlanta

ATLANTA, Ga., March 31.—Erskine Brewster, the man with the "fog horn voice," distinguished himself at Ponce de Leon ball park yesterday by giving several New York Nationals a near-hitting. Involved in the row were manager McGraw, Mathewson, Moers, Bridwell and others.

The squabble grew out of remarks to the players by Brewster the day before. Brewster was practicing with the Atlanta team yesterday when McGraw attempted to remonstrate with him. While they were talking, Mathewson, it is alleged, grabbed Brewster from behind and the latter by a quick twist, sent Mathewson over his head sprawling. Myers came running up but got a stiff blow in the face. Other members of the New York squad became involved in the fracas and Brewster was getting a good drubbing when some of the Atlanta players made their appearance with bats in their hands. The trouble quickly subsided.

BADLY INJURED

STAGING GAVE WAY AND MAN FELL TO THE GROUND

ARLINGTON, March 31.—Salvatore Baciveri of 9 Emmet street, South Boston, a carpenter working on a house being erected on Myrtle street, stepped from a third story window yesterday afternoon on a staging. The braces gave way and he was pitched headlong to the ground, striking on a pile of wood and was impaled on a short piece of wood, which entered his stomach.

He was rushed to the police station and attended by Dr. Daniel J. Buckley, who recommended his immediate removal to the Massachusetts General hospital. He was put into the ambulance and just as it was about to start, word was received that another accident had happened on Broadway.

A man had been struck by a Heights trolley car. The ambulance was rushed to the place designated and the man hurried to the police station. He proved to be Michael Sullivan of 78 Decatur street, Arlington. It was found that he had a possible concussion of the brain, a badly injured hip and probable internal injuries.

Mr. Sullivan was crossing the street and evidently did not hear the car coming until it was too late. He was knocked down by the trolley and rendered unconscious. He is married and about 45 years of age.

BODY IDENTIFIED

SEAMAN LOST HIS LIFE WHEN BARGE WENT DOWN

NANTUCKET, March 31.—The identity of the seaman who lost his life soon after leaving the sinking barge Stonington was established today by the widow of Captain Dawes, the commander of the barge. Mrs. Dawes notified the Nantucket authorities that the hitherto unidentified man was Richard R. Halstead of Mobile, Ala. Halstead's body is in the receiving vault of the Nantucket cemetery and the town will endeavor to locate the relatives.

WENT ASHORE

TUG SHAWANESE HAD THREE BARGES IN TOW

FISHERS ISLAND, N. Y., March 31.—The tug Shawanese, bound from New York for an eastern port with three barges in tow went ashore on the north side of the island near the United States military reservation last night. The tug keeled over on her beam ends on the falling tide and this morning was in bad condition. The Scott Wrecking Co. of New London has located one of the two barges which were ashore. The barge was not damaged.

FOREIGN MISSIONS

WOMEN HAVE SUCCEEDED IN RAISING NEARLY \$40,000,000

NEW YORK, March 31.—With the announcement that a grand total of \$369,368 has been contributed since the women's national foreign missionary society began its series of semi-annual celebrations throughout the country, the week's meetings in New York were concluded last night at a mass meeting which overflowed Carnegie hall. Since women first organized their efforts at foreign missionary work 50 years ago nearly \$40,000,000 has been contributed.

President Mary E. Wolley of Mount Holyoke college who presided proposed a resolution "resenting as an insult to womanhood the existence of the Mormon body in our land," and requesting the government to decline the silver services presented to the battleship Utah bearing the picture of Brigham Young which was passed with applause.

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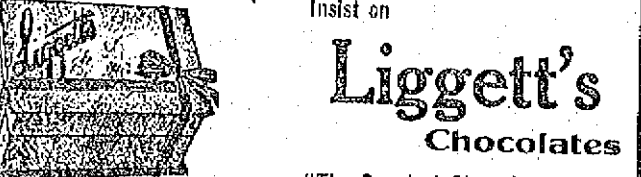
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**Alderman Jodoin Performed Feat
In Fire Station**

**The Different Fire Houses in
the City Were Inspected—
Many Requests for Alterations
and Repairs Were Made**

Not because he was surrounded by flames or crazed by the cry of fire, but for the purpose of demonstrating how easy it is to land safely and soundly in a life net, Alderman Joseph H. Jodoin, Jr., made a "baby" jump for glory at the West Sixth street fire station yesterday afternoon. Alderman Jodoin is chairman of the

fire department committee and the committee went out yesterday afternoon on a tour of inspection of the firehouses and apparatus of the city. Mr. Jodoin performed his daring feat under cover at the West Sixth street station when he jumped from the ladder to the life net, a distance of six feet. He landed on his feet in the net

and then on the shoulders of a stalwart fireman. The fireman went down and so did the alderman. The latter should have landed in a sitting position, but he didn't know that until the fireman whose dignity had received a wallop enlightened him. There is no telling how many firemen would have gone to the mat if the alderman had leaped from a more dizzy height.

The first stop of the trip was made at the corner of Sanborn and Durant streets, a new fire alarm box having been asked for this section. From here the party covered the houses in the following order: Fourth street house, West Sixth street, Race street, Fletcher street, Pawtucketville house, Branch street, Westford street, Lincoln street, Gorham street, Lawrence street, Central street, High street, Warren street and Palmer street. The tour concluded shortly before 6 o'clock.

At the Pawtucketville house, the ladders were taken out and the men of the company climbed them. Many desires for alterations and repairs were made known. The Central street crew want separate sleeping rooms. At the Fletcher, Branch and High street houses, requests for automobile apparatus were made. In a number of places the committee found that much apparatus needed repairing.

LIGHTHOUSE BLOWN AWAY
STONINGTON, Conn., March 31.—During the storm of Wednesday night and yesterday morning, the lighthouse at the west end of the breakwater was blown down and washed away. The keeper was in the lighthouse at the east end of the breakwater when the other light went down.

HAVERHILL MAN

PLACED UNDER ARREST IN WILLIMANTIC, CONN.

WILLIMANTIC, Conn., March 31.—Alleging that he attempted to cash a worthless check drawn on the Chapin National bank of Springfield here yesterday, Gilbert L. Love, who says his home is in Haverhill, Mass., was arrested by the police last night. The police say that he is wanted in Concord, N. H., and Chicopee, Mass., for similar transactions.

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BELIEVED DEAD

Woman Paid Visit to Friends

NEW YORK, March 31.—Mrs. Mary Mueller, mourned as dead, appeared in the flesh yesterday to relatives and friends who had attended her supposed funeral two weeks ago. One of her first acts was to instruct an attorney to have her will, to have been offered for probate today, stricken from the surrogate's calendar.

MRS. RICHARDS DEAD
BOSTON, March 31.—Mrs. Ellen H. Richards, professor of water and air analysis at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and one of the foremost women scientists of the western hemisphere, died at her home, 32 Elliot street, Jamaica Plain, shortly after 3 o'clock last evening, after a short illness, from angina pectoris.

Money deposited this week in The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank begins to draw interest Saturday.

SCHULTZ GUILTY

SAID TO HAVE TAUGHT SMALL BOYS TO STEAL

NEW YORK, March 31.—Herman Schultz, whose vocation was being a janitor, and whose avocation was teaching small boys to steal, was convicted of burglary and larceny yesterday and remanded for sentence. Nine boys confessed to being his pupils and are now in the house of refuge.

Twenty thousand dollars worth of loot was recovered in Schultz's home. One boy confessed to 26 burglaries; another said he stole 305 bicycles. Both worked under Schultz's direction.

A RISKY FLIGHT

WAS TAKEN BY COUPLE AT AUGUSTA, GA.

AUGUSTA, Ga., March 31.—In a high wind which uprooted trees, Aviator Frank Coffin, accompanied by his young wife, made a flight of more than 28 miles from Augusta to Aiken, S. C., in 41 minutes yesterday to keep a breakfast appointment with friends. No woman in America, under weather conditions of any sort, has ever made a flight of this length.

It was found impossible to take a straight course because of the direction of the wind.

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AUTO AMBULANCES

Asked for by the Board of Charities

Plan Urged at Meeting of the Committee on Appropriations Last Night—The Committee Thinks That the Ambulance Service Should be Turned Over to the Police—The Gypsy Moth Question Also Discussed

The committee on appropriations, Alderman Gallagher, chairman, met in the mayor's reception room at city hall last night and listened patiently to long arguments and discussions having to do with auto ambulances and gypsy and brown-tail moths. The moths are still in the trees and the ambulance proposition is in the air. The board of charities was divided against itself on

the ambulance question and it was finally agreed that the best thing to do would be to turn the ambulance service over to the police as the police are better qualified to handle refractory subjects.

The discussion of gypsy and brown-tail moths did not occupy a very great stretch of the committee's time. Howard Worthley, superintendent of moth extermination in the state, was on hand to answer all questions and to give such information as was sought after by the committee. Mr. Worthley seemed to know the moth business from the ground up.

First business before the meeting was the request of the moth department for \$5000, with which to continue the moth war.

Alderman Gallagher asked if there was any way to rid the trees in neighboring towns of the pests. He said it seemed labor in vain to wage war against the moths in this city if nothing was being done in neighboring towns. He said that if the moths were numerous in neighboring towns, Lowell would be sure of reinfestation.

Mr. Worthley said that most of the state's appropriations were spent on residential districts and the moths that come to Lowell in showers come from the woodland and not from the residential districts. He said, however, that the state would be perfectly willing to assist in stopping the infestation from

the towns. He said that the brown-tail moth was controlled by the wind, but that such is not the case with the gypsy moth. The gypsy moth is the harder of the two to fight for he makes his nest and spends his winter in any hole or corner that affords him shelter. Mr. Worthley said that if Lowell cleans up and other infestation occurs the state will guarantee to assist in another clean up.

Mr. Flanagan asked if the state did all the work in Chelmsford.

Mr. Worthley said that one-twenty-fifth of one per cent. of the town's valuation was appropriated by the state. The town of Chelmsford has appropriated \$1767.98 for moth work, this year.

In reply to questions by Mr. Flanagan, Mr. Worthley said that Lowell had more than her share of moths. His said the condition was due to the fact that the appropriations for moth work in this city have been too small. There is never money enough appropriated to follow up the work properly.

"If you make the necessary appropriation," said Mr. Worthley, "and follow the work up properly, in the course of three years you would be in a position to make a very substantial reduction in your appropriation." Mr. Flanagan asked Mr. Worthley what the result would be in the event of the city refusing to appropriate the necessary money for moth work.

"I don't want you to look upon this in the form of a threat," said Mr. Worthley, "but if the moth work was being neglected here we would have to take the matter up with the governor. The state would then step in and do the work and you would have to pay the freight."

He said if the city found it necessary to spend beyond its legal liability the state would be willing to step in and help out. Other questions were answered by Mr. Worthley and he was finally excused.

Board of Charities

The next question was that of automobile ambulances. All members of the charity board were present. Supt. Conley and Clerk Gallagher were also present. Chairman Gallagher explained that those of the members in favor of the auto ambulances would first be heard and they would be followed by the remonstrants.

Commissioner Burns was the first speaker. It was Mr. Burns who first offered the suggestion for auto ambulances to the board and later the board asked for \$6000 with which to purchase them.

Mr. Burns cited the cities where auto ambulances are in use.

He also said that horses could not give the best service in either very warm or very cold weather. He urged that the proposed service could do three times the work of the horse-drawn ambulances. Lives could be saved, and therefore the matter could not be looked at purely as one of dollars and cents. He said that a figure lower than any the city is now paying could be given, and a trip to any part of the city will be made in five minutes.

Commissioner Ricard said he was in favor of the auto ambulance. Last week, he said, he was getting ready to go to Boston and he had but four minutes to catch a train. He mentioned this instance, he said, to illustrate how quick and satisfactory is auto service. In regard to cost and maintenance, he said, he thought it would be less than our present system.

Dr. James J. McCarty, chairman of the board of charities, spoke in favor of auto ambulances, particularly the electric auto ambulance. He said, it was not necessary to employ an expert to drive an electric machine and he thought it would be cheaper, all around. He said, the speed would not be as great, perhaps, as other auto ambulances, but there is a guaranteed speed of 16 miles and that can be increased to 20 miles an hour. He thought that was ample enough for city streets. He said that the trouble experienced with the fire department's auto protective was due, in his opinion, to over-speeding.

Dr. McCarty had a blue print of an auto ambulance that he thought would serve the purpose very well in Lowell. The blue prints showed an electric ambulance of the type used at the Newton hospital.

Dr. McCarty also used a blackboard on which he figured comparative costs of auto ambulances and horse drawn vehicles. He showed that the cost of the horse-drawn vehicle per annum would be \$3680, while with the electric auto it would be \$1030; a saving of \$2650 yearly. In 10 years' time the saving would be a saving on interest of \$6830. The whole saving for a decade would be \$32,330. He subtracted \$600 yearly from this for surgeons, and this in 10 years would amount to \$6000. This would mean an actual saving of \$26,330. However, he did not believe surgeons would be needed. To run the auto it would cost \$340 for two years; for a similar period with the horse-drawn vehicle it would cost \$7000.

The city's business amounts to about \$1,000,000 a year, he said. He further said that there is much waste in the transaction of the business, and had conclusively shown that one sub-division of the charity department could be run more cheaply than at the present time. Last year the same board showed the board of health how it could effect a very good saving in building a contagious hospital.

Not long ago a man was fatally shot in Broadway. The auto patrol and the horse drawn ambulance were both there. Yet the man who was suffering was carted to the hospital in a bumpy horse-drawn vehicle, while the alleged assailant was whisked to the station in a smoothly running, luxuriously fitted up, \$6000 auto patrol.

He urged a consolidation of the ambulance service with the police department, that the electric ambulance, if secured, should be kept at the police station. He said it would cost but \$13 a week to run the electric ambulance.

Mr. Flanagan wanted to know how far the new ambulance could be run without recharging. Dr. McCarty said that it would, he believed, run 40 miles.

Mr. Flanagan asked if the idea would be to keep the ambulance in the police station barn. Dr. McCarty said it was. Mr. Flanagan said he had talked with the superintendent of police about it and had been told there is no room for such a machine.

"I have no right to go down there, but you have," said the chairman. "Look for yourself."

In answer to Mr. Flillon, Dr. McCarty said that many citizens used the electric vehicles.

Mr. Coupe, who has opposed the automobile ambulance idea since its inception, spoke. "I am opposed to the ambulance still, notwithstanding all these figures," he said. "It is a well known fact that there must be two ambulances. This whole thing has been changed over. They propose to use the police patrol and a horse ambulance. And they talk about doing away with surgeons. To stop backward. They want to get one automobile and then they will have to get another one after that. The horse ambulance was taking the man who was shot in Brooks street, two



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weeks ago, to the hospital when the auto patrol got there.

"If these automobiles are so good and can be run so cheaply, why is it that all the business men are discarding theirs and are going back to horses? This thing of showing what the electric ambulances can do, they know it's all a bluff. When Dr. McCarty got up here tonight it was the first time that I had ever heard of it. They know they'll have to get two ambulances."

"They may keep down the expenses the first year, but after the year is up they will want to get more money or they will have to be run somewhere else. They may get the autos run for \$12 a week, but I don't believe it."

"There have been no complaints of the service we are getting. I don't believe there's a doctor in Lowell who would complain of the service we're

getting. We don't know what we will get, but we know what we have got."

"Have you ever heard complaints that a surgeon was not with the ambulance?" asked Mr. Flanagan.

"No," I haven't."

He went on to say that Dr. McCarty had shown no savings for the city, because he had not furnished figures for two ambulances.

Mr. Howe said the proposition which had been advanced was an entirely new one. He could not, he said, see his way clear to vote for ambulances. He did not believe that the extra expense which was bound to come would give any greater efficiency than is now given. Most of the ambulance calls are to the mills in the heart of the city and he doubted if autos could be driven through congested streets much faster than the horse-driven vehicles. He believed one ambulance only, to be out of the question. It would be no improvement in the service to wait until the one auto ambulance came back from a call before it responded to another one. He would, he said, object to turning the autos over to any private firm.

Mr. Howe didn't believe the general public would ever "stand for" the abolition of ambulance surgeons, however competent the chauffeur might be in first aid cases, they could never take the place of surgeons.

Over 100 accident calls last year found the ambulance without any surgeon. The service would never be satisfactory, he said, until a surgeon was paid to stay with the ambulance all of the time.

He said he had always contended that the proper place for the ambulance was at the police station. The police board would tell the charity board to attend to its own business if it was suggested that the police patrol be used in accident cases.

In rebuttal Mr. Burns said that the offer to take care of the automobiles was made by a thoroughly reputable

man. Mr. Ricard said he had heard about the electric machine before Dr. McCarty had spoken of it. Dr. McCarty said he understood that there are two or three men who used to drive the horse-drawn patrol who are still employed at the police station. These men could be made use of if the electric ambulance were placed at the police station. He thought the mayor would offer no opposition to signing an order to relocate the ambulance at the police station, and if he did the city council had a right to pass an order over his veto.

"Did the other members of the charity board see the blue prints of the electric vehicle?" asked Mr. Flanagan.

Messrs. Ricard and Burns said they had. Messrs. Coupe and Howe had not. "Wouldn't it have been just as well to have come up here and asked the appropriations committee to turn the

whole ambulance service over to the police department?" asked Mr. Coupe.

"I meant no offence to you and Mr. Howe when I didn't show you the blue prints," retorted Dr. McCarty. "Why not turn the matter over to the police department and let them look after the expense?" said Mr. Coupe.

At 12:15 o'clock the committee adjourned to Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

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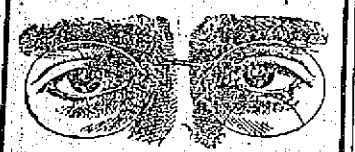
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THE TRUST FIGHT

Atty. General Has New Plans

WASHINGTON, March 31.—A new weapon is being forged from the government's experiences in dealing with monopolies of trade and combinations of capital which, it was learned yesterday, Attorney General Wickersham hopes to present to congress in the belief that it will be incorporated into law. Just what shape this proposed legislation will take has not been made known by Mr. Wickersham. Under the present laws the department of justice has on several occasions found that the statutes have become obsolete while litigation was being brought to a final decision.

The attorney general told one of his callers yesterday that he considered the situation the greatest economic problem before the world; that so-called unlawful combinations had grown far faster than the law and that the anti-trust statutes of the present time cannot hope to keep pace with all the conditions they are expected to remedy. The attorney general is giving the subject deep study. Within the next few months may take place the most important steps toward regulations of combinations and monopolies since the passage of the Sherman act. Several instances of alleged combinations, which the department of justice, so far, has been powerless to at-

tack because there was no law applicable to them, have been brought to the attention of the attorney general. Prominent among them is the so-called "money trust" in New York.

The New York Clearing House association recently had unofficial notification that Attorney General Wickersham's attention had been called to its methods of business. The association presented an informal statement of its methods to the department of justice. The association now understands, tactfully at least, that there is apparently nothing in the business of the New York Clearing House association which can be construed as coming under any of the laws now on the statute books. Several of the same thing took place with the New Orleans association last winter.

Nevertheless, the department of justice regards with some concern the concentration of banking capital in New York.

HARVARD MAN.

FOR THE EXCHANGE OF PROFESSORS

CAMBRIDGE, March 31.—Harvard university, not content with arrangements for a regular exchange of professors with some of the leading universities of Europe, including Berlin and Sorbonne, has arranged for an annual exchange of teachers with four of the best known smaller colleges in this country—Colorado college, Colorado Springs, Colo.; Grinnell college, Grinnell, Ia.; Knox college, Galesburg, Ill.; and Beloit college, Beloit, Wis.

Every year Harvard is to send a professor, who will spend an equal part of

half an academic year with each of the four colleges mentioned, and during that time will give to the students of these institutions such regular instruction in their courses as may be arranged by the faculties of the different colleges.

The salary of this professor will be paid by Harvard, but the other colleges will provide his traveling expenses and maintenance while he is away from Cambridge. The professor will be selected every year by Harvard, with the approval of the other colleges. The arrangement will go into effect in the next college year.

In return, each of the four colleges will be expected to send every year one of its younger instructors to Cambridge, and during half of the academic year he will be appointed an assistant in one of Harvard's courses; he will teach and will be paid as though he were a regular member of the Harvard faculty. He will not be required to give more than one-third of his time to teaching, and may devote the rest of it to graduate and research work in any department of Harvard university. Although no official announcement has been made, it is understood that the first Harvard professor to take part in this exchange will be Prof. Albert Bushnell Hart, of the department of history. He is one of the leading historians in the country. He comes from the edge of the middle west. He was born in 1854 in Clarkville, Pa., a little town close to the Ohio line. He graduated from Harvard college in 1876 in the class with ex-President Theodore Roosevelt.

He has received the honorary degree of LL. D. from Richmond, Va., in 1902,

CHILD LABOR BILL

Was Killed in the House Yesterday

BOSTON, March 31.—After a heated debate, in which several members of the house participated, the bill to raise the age at which minors may be employed in manufacturing and mercantile establishments from 14 to 16 years, was defeated yesterday by a vote of 77 for to 129 against it.

The labor members of the house opposed the bill from the standpoint it would deprive many minors in the mill towns of a livelihood and that the time was not ripe for taking the boys' and girls from the mills when their parents were only making \$3 a week.

Those in favor of the measure urged the minors should be allowed to attend school. Representative Underwood of Somerville asserted he would put the children out on the Bridgewater farm before he would see them housed within the four walls of the mills.

Those opposing the bill said they had seen boys in the mills declare they were 14 years of age when they were only 10 and 11 years, because they wanted to work and their families needed their support.

THEATRE DARK

While Officers Ejected an Offender

BOSTON, March 31.—In order to eject a man who was talking to and shaking his finger at Mrs. Leslie Carter during the fourth act of her play at the Majestic theatre last night it was necessary for the actress to call for the curtain and have the theatre darkened while the officers took the man out, that the fighting between the man and the officers during the ejection process might not utterly demoralize the audience.

The man gave his name as Daniel Edwards, and asked that Governor Fother of Rhode Island be notified of his arrest. He said his home was in Woonsocket. He was booked at the La-grange street station.

According to the police and several persons who witnessed the performance last night, there were several complaints of the conduct of the man made to the house officer and the ushers. A gentleman in evening clothes seemed to be the particular tormenter. Twice through the earlier parts of the piece Officer Hyde went to the man and warned him to desist. For a time he remained quiet, but in the fourth act he became particularly boisterous.

In this act he talked directly at Mrs. Carter and continually pointed his fin-

ger at her. She tolerated it for a time, but eventually was forced to call for the curtain. Officer Hyde walked down and called the man from his seat. He refused to come, and then when Patrolman Foley joined Hyde he started for the aisle. In the aisle he became obdurate once more, and then Patrolman Gallagher took a hand.

The theatre was darkened and Hyde and Gallagher struggled with the man for a few minutes before they were able to force him up through the aisle and into the street. They took him to the station and at 8.57 he was booked.

Hyde returned to the station when the evening performance was completed and announced that he would apply for a warrant charging the prisoner with disturbing a public assemblage. Following the ejection the performance continued without further interruption.

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DOUBLE TRAGEDY

Witnessed by Passengers on Train

NEW YORK, March 31.—Passengers arriving early last evening by a New York Central train had a horrifying introduction to a crime when a sudden application of the emergency brakes brought the train almost opposite a double tragedy which was being enacted in Park avenue. A well-dressed man was seen to whip a revolver from his pocket, shoot a strikingly pretty blonde and turn the weapon upon himself.

The engineer, who was the first to see the couple, threw on his brakes and shouted to the young man on the street: "Hold on! Don't shoot her; don't shoot!"

The man took deliberate aim at the woman as she started to run from him. One shot entered her mouth and another lodged in her breast. After a momentary contemplation of the crime he placed the weapon at his own temple, fired and sank to the street by the woman's side.

The man was dead when the police arrived, and the woman has little chance of recovery. A card was found in the man's pocket bearing the name of Jacob Shontz. There was no clue to the woman's identity. She was about 23 years old.

1000 KILLED

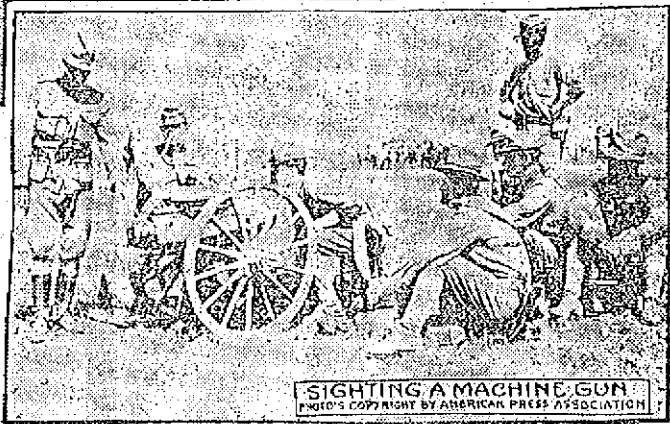
In a Battle Between the Federals and the Rebels



MEMBERS OF ARTILLERY RIDING MULES



TROOPERS MAKING BEDS



SIGHTING A MACHINE GUN

Report Was Received From a Federal Officer— Town of San Rafael Said to Have Been Destroyed—Women and Children Among Victims of the Engagement

TUCSON, Ariz., March 31.—That a thousand men have been killed on both sides in a battle between federals and rebels in the vicinity of San Rafael and Ures, Mexico, since Monday is reported by a federal officer in Nogales, Sonora, according to a special to a local paper from Nogales. The officer is said to have given this report to fellow officers upon receipt of news from Hermosillo.

The destruction of a big flour mill at San Rafael by dynamite is said to have been followed by a fire which completely destroyed the town. It is said many women and children are numbered among the victims of the engagement fought while the town was burning.

The rebels in the vicinity of Ures are said to number 1500 and are commanded by Juan Garcia, Juan Calabala and Col. Gandarilla. Col. Clow, who was in command of the insurgents at LaColorada, Col. Villareal, Col. Munoz, and Captain Atise. The recruits are said to be flocking to the rebel ranks from the surrounding country.

STUBBORN BATTLE FOUGHT AROUND LITTLE TOWN OF SANTA BARBARA

EL PASO, March 31.—A stubbornly fought battle between 300 insurgents and 200 federals has raged around the little town of Santa Barbara, southwest of the city of Chihuahua, since Wednesday morning, according to a telegram received here last night from Parral. Both sides have sent for reinforcements.

Wednesday morning, according to the Parral despatch, the insurgents attacked and took Santa Barbara but before they could strengthen its defense, the federals rallied and attempted to retake the place.

A body of 25 rurales charged through the insurgent lines and succeeded in regaining the municipal building but were cut off from the main federal body. They took refuge in the building but the telegram does not reveal their fate.

Finding himself outnumbered, Col. Arzame, in command of the federal troops, sent to Parral for reinforcement.

ments and the insurgent leaders are said to have dispatched messengers in the direction of the camp of Madero and Orozco on a similar errand. Neither side had received reinforcement when the message reached here. It is said both sides exhibited the greatest coolness and bravery and the

seems little prospect for immediate cessation of hostilities. Gonzales Garza, insurgent secretary of state, says the army in the field will have the final vote on any peace negotiations and that he does not believe they will vote to accept any terms

that do not include the resignation of President Diaz. Apparently railroad officials have given up hope of opening the Mexican National lines between Juarez and Chihuahua as they have begun to send



MEXICAN REBEL ASLEEP WITH GUN READY

percentage of killed and wounded is high. Officers of the insurgent junta here, while declaring they hope earnestly for peace, again today stated that there

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freight in the Juarez yards back into the United States under bond to be shipped to Chihuahua via Eagle Pass.

LIVELY INTEREST

TAKEN IN THE REPORTED PEACE PROPOSALS

MEXICO CITY, March 31.—Reports emanating from points in the United States that the Mexican government intends to send a peace commission to treat with a similar commission representing the rebels, have aroused a lively interest but no government officer has been found who would admit the existence of any arrangement of this character. The government has gone far in making concessions but the belief is growing that President Diaz is not yet willing to recognize Madero and his followers to the extent where he shall discuss with them terms of peace. If any peace negotiations are to be conducted it is believed that the initiative must come from the rebels; and according to statements made in the United States, that is not the case. As far as the war itself is concerned, there has been little change in the last five days. The rebels are largely

in control of the rural regions of Chihuahua, Sonora and parts of Zacatecas, while throughout the country detachments of rebels, bandits in some cases, appear here and there, keeping a certain portion of the Mexican army engaged.

The larger towns are all still in the control of the government. In the capital, great interest is shown in the president's message which will be read to congress the evening of April 1. It is reported it will be a most remarkable document, inasmuch as it will contain recommendations for a revision of the electoral laws, a revision of the system of taxation, greater freedom in state elections and curtailment of the powers of the jefes politicos. Speculation is lively as to the identity of the probable minister of the interior, the only post now vacant in the new cabinet.

HEAVY FIGHTING

IS REPORTED AS HAVING TAKEN PLACE AT URES

EL PASO, March 31.—Although reports received here indicate heavy fighting at Ures, Sonora, representa-

tives of both factions declare the report that 1,000 men had been killed on each side is without foundation. Representatives of the insurgent junta here in close touch with the war zone, declare the insurgents force which might have engaged numbers but 1,200 and that not more than 2,000 men were engaged on both sides.

The statement from Tucson that the town of San Rafael has been destroyed by fire is discredited as the town consists almost entirely of adobe houses with mud roofs, which are practically fireproof. It is believed that the loss has been heavy, however.

Petition of the Boston and Maine Railroad for alteration of tracks upon and across Jackson street in the City of Lowell.

To the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Lowell, County of Middlesex, Massachusetts.

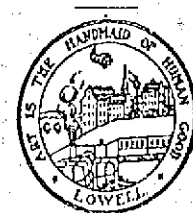
Respectfully represents your Petitioner, the Boston and Maine Railroad, as lessee of the Boston and Lowell Railroad, that it desires the altering of the side track now maintained upon and across Jackson Street at grade in the City of Lowell, running into the coal shed of the Appleton Mills, as shown by a plan attached hereto and filed herewith; the heavy shed white lines being the proposed side track as altered;

And it respectfully requests in compliance with Section 251 of Part 1 of Chapter 465 of the Acts of 1906, the approval in writing of your honorable board to the construction of said track.

BOSTON AND MAINE RAILROAD.

By Edgar J. Rich and Thornton Alexander, its Attorneys.

Boston, March 27, 1911.



CITY OF LOWELL

In Board of Aldermen, ORDERED, granting a hearing on the petition of the Boston and Maine Railroad, as lessee of the Boston and Lowell Railroad, by Edgar J. Rich and Thornton Alexander, its attorneys, for permission to alter and across the side track now maintained upon and across Jackson street at grade in the City of Lowell, running into the coal shed of the Appleton Mills, as shown on plan attached to petition.

ORDERED, by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Lowell, assembled, as follows:

That on the petition of the Boston and Maine Railroad, as lessee of the Boston and Lowell Railroad, that it desires the altering of the side track now maintained upon and across Jackson Street at grade in the City of Lowell, running into the coal shed of the Appleton Mills, as shown on plan attached to petition and filed therewith, a public hearing be given by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen at their room, City Hall, Tuesday evening, April 18, 1911, at eight o'clock, and that all parties interested and who desire to be heard in the matter may have due notice of the time and place of said hearing, a copy of said notice of this order be published in the Lowell Courier-Citizen and The Lowell Sun; said publication to be fourteen days, at least, before the time assigned for said hearing.

In Board of Aldermen, March 28, 1911. Read and adopted.

GIRARD T. DADMAN, City Clerk.

Approved, March 31, 1911.

JOHN F. MEEHAN, Mayor.

A true copy. Attest:

GIRARD T. DADMAN, City Clerk.

D. A. R. CONGRESS

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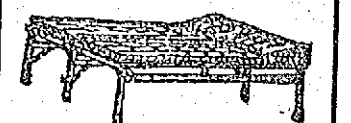
WASHINGTON, March 31.—The continental congress of the D. A. R. which meets here in April will be formally received by President and Mrs. Taft at the White House, Wednesday afternoon, April 19, and along with other members of the organization and of the Sons of the American Revolution by Mrs. Matthew Scott, president general of the D. A. R. on Monday evening, April 17.

In announcing these arrangements the program committee today added that on Saturday evening, April 15, the Memorial Continental Hall will be opened for inspection by the Daughters and their friends, that the bishop of Washington has invited them to attend the Sunday afternoon Easter service and that Tuesday evening April 18 has been reserved for the meetings of the state delegations.

Upward of 1500 delegates are expected at the congress.

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DENTISTS' MEETING

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which were held in rooms 2 and 22. The clinics continued till 4 o'clock and were as follows:

- 1—Dr. F. A. MacKinnon and Dr. J. H. Preston, Haverhill. "Gold Inlays, Etc."
- 2—Dr. E. E. Kinney, Lowell. "Casting Demonstrations."
- 3—Dr. L. A. Haffner, Lawrence. "Possibilities in Orthodontia after the plastic operation for cleft palate."
- 4—Dr. F. A. M. Burke, Haverhill. "Administration of Ethel Chloride."
- 5—Dr. G. W. Donnell, Lowell. "Gold Inlays Impression Method."
- 6—Dr. H. E. Wales, Haverhill. "Demonstration lower dentures of Watts Metal."
- 7—Dr. T. J. Donovan, Lawrence. "Acrylic Inlays."
- 8—Dr. D. J. McCree, Haverhill. "Administration of Somnoform."
- 9—Dr. W. Burnham, Lowell. "Original Ivory Bridges and Specimens of Ancient Dentistry."
- 10—Dr. C. A. Frank, Lawrence. "A Simple Device for Regulating Single Teeth."
- 11—Dr. J. H. Preston, Haverhill. "Replantation."

A very interesting public meeting was held in high school hall at 4:30 o'clock and was largely attended by teachers of public schools and parents of the pupils, who listened to an interesting talk on "The Care of Children's Teeth in the Interest of Public Health," by George A. Bates, A. M. D. M. D., professor for histology at the central school of Tufts college.

Immediately after this meeting the delegates proceeded to the New American house where at 6:30 o'clock a delightful banquet was served. The event proved a very pleasant and appropriate closing feature of the meeting. William H. Pepin of this city, presided over the festivities. The meal was followed by a musical program rendered by the Starbird orchestra and by a talk on "Pyorrhea and Alveolitis," by Dr. Leary. Following the latter's talk was a general discussion of his subject and of Professor Bates' lecture of the afternoon.

The union dental committee is made up of the following named:

Lawrence—Dr. Charles A. French, Dr. Arthur T. Mickey and Dr. Frank A. Lona.

Haverhill—Dr. H. Stansfield, Dr. G. E. Mitchell and Dr. J. B. Leonard.

Lowell—Dr. W. H. Pepin, Pres., Dr. Hugh W. Keen, treasurer, and Dr. C. E. Snyder, secretary.

Among those present at the meeting were:

Haverhill—John H. Preston, D. J. McNeil, G. E. Mitchell, Fred A. MacKinnon, James J. McVey, Alfred W. Nash, J. B. Leonard, L. R. LeGros, John Z. Ray, I. M. Luce, Fred N. Ray, G. C. Bunker, H. E. Wales, John S. King, Lawrence—William Fingleton, William H. Harahan, John N. Thomson, L. A. Haffner, Charles A. Frank, N. B.

Russell, Stanley C. Neales, C. W. Partridge, Frank A. Lona, Fred W. Schuake, William J. Murphy, Arthur Perout, Matthew F. Curney, Timothy J. Donovan, Edward M. Lynch, F. W. Bevilston, Robert Farquar.

Boston—J. J. Lockwood, Daniel J. Chisham, H. W. Bennett, E. M. Folinsbee, George A. Bates, Timothy Leary, W. H. Towne.

Lowell—Edwin E. Kinney, H. E. Davis, S. R. Waller, E. A. Kent, A. J. Gagnon, Hugh Walker, J. V. Pepin, John J. Walsh, J. P. Kearney, M. D. N. O. Provancher, Arthur K. Whitcomb, William H. Pepin, David D. Snyder, Charles F. Harris, Alexander S. MacLeod, Walter E. Keapp, George H. Jenkinson, V. E. Darling, N. S. Phillips, Lawrence Cummings, G. W. Bonnevillie.

There were also present John E. Keefe of Exeter, N. H., H. Stansfield and O. M. Tennen of Andover, George P. Marlon of Nashua, N. H., and Mr. Sanborn of Saugus.

At the High School Dr. George A. Bates was welcomed by Supt. A. K. Whitcomb in behalf of the schools of Lowell, and said that the next step, after medical inspection in the schools, dental inspection. Sooner or later it is bound to come, because it is an essential thing.

The meeting was presided over by Dr. W. H. Pepin of this city, who said in part that the association wishes to have a free dental dispensary established here, for the benefit of the school children, and the one thing needed now in order to establish the work, is a suitable place. He hoped that the school board would provide suitable quarters, in the near future. Dr. Bates was next introduced by the chairman of the meeting, and he presented his subject as an economic problem.

He exhibited the importance of good teeth from the standpoint of the digestive processes, and the importance of a healthy condition of the body. It is a mistake, he said, to suppose that candy is injurious to the teeth. Sugar, as such, has no effect whatever on the teeth. The difficulty comes when sugar or starch are taken into an unclean mouth. The germs in the mouth have the effect of splitting the molecules of sugar, and lactic acid results. This acid bores holes in the teeth, the germs get in, and the teeth are destroyed.

Following the destruction of the teeth, there is lack of proper mastication of food, with disastrous results to the general health.

"It is a duty that we owe to the country, to see to it that the parents are educated, and that the teeth of the children are cared for."

THE BOY SCOUTS

Movement Gets Start at Public Hearing

The Boy Scouts of the Elliot church and the North Chelmsford Congregational church visited city hall in a body yesterday afternoon to attend a public hearing on the Boy Scout movement. The boys were in charge of Rev. E. Victor Bigelow and were attired in their attractive khaki uniforms. The meeting was attended by representatives of various schools and churches including Costas H. Demetri, pastor of the Greek Orthodox church.

Mayor Meahan presided, and the principal speaker was Arthur Astor Carey of Waltham, a member of the national executive council who spoke on "The Boy Scout Movement."

The speaker said that the value of the whole movement very largely depends upon what we expend. We will get out of it just what we put into it. We take it as a pleasurable diversion, then a digression of that sort it will amount to. If we put something more serious into it, as is being done in England today, then we shall get more solid benefits from it.

The revival of the spirit of chivalry is the first aim of the movement, the question of developing personal honor; these are the main points in the movement which underlies the progress of the Boy Scouts.

This nation is very largely a commercial one, he said, and the shortcomings of commercial nations are represented here. A desire to reestablish the feeling of old knightdom in the hearts and minds of the boys is the root of the entire movement.

He read the "Scout's Oath," not an oath in the ordinary sense, but an affirmation to obey God, his country and his best self, and to help others. Scout law was then read, and the points of this were read.

If scout law is not followed, if he tells a falsehood or does not obey orders given to him, he may be deprived of his standing as a scout. He must never be a snob; he must accept the other man as he finds him and make the best of it. He must be courteous and can accept no reward for such courtesy.

He must be kind to all animals and can kill one only when it is necessary to do so to secure food. If a scout swears a cup of cold water is poured down his sleeve by other scouts. A Boy Scout will sing and whistle under all circumstances.

The salute consists of putting the thumb over the little finger with three fingers in the air. It symbolizes the three points of the oath. Whenever the salute is given it means something serious. The emblem represents what is usually called a fleur-de-lis, but it is called in the scout's order, "The sign of the North," a sign taken from the mariner's compass. This also indicates the three points in the scout law.

Grades of Scouts

There are three grades of scouts, Tenderfoot, Second class, and First class. The requirements of the three classes were pointed out by Mr. Carey. After the boy has been a tenderfoot one month he can apply for membership as a second class scout. If he is admitted he will have learned elementary cooking, and something of swimming and outdoor life. When a second class scout brings into the tenderfoot class a boy fully equipped to enter it then he can enter the first class.

While there are three general classes there are altogether about 40 different tests which may be applied. A boy may pass the fireman's test, or the farmer's test. The boy must be prepared to do certain things when the opportunity presents itself.

After the age of 18 a boy can become an assistant scout master and when he has reached the age of 21 he can become a scout master.

Remarks were made by Rev. George C. Wright and Mayor Meahan after which a squad of boys from the Elliot church gave an exhibition of tying knots. A band from the North Chelmsford showed how to give first aid to a drowning man and to a fractured elbow.

Mayor Meahan agreed to act as head

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Basement Price Saturday, Each 9c

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MEN'S, WOMEN'S and CHILDREN'S STOCKINGS, mostly black or tans, value up to 25c.

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WOMEN'S MUSLIN DRESSES SATURDAY IN THE BASEMENT, EACH 49c

A small lot, in sizes up to 40, one piece style, Hamburg trimmed, square neck, 3-4 sleeve. Regular value \$1.49. Less than 10 dozen in the lot. Nuf sed. Don't get left.

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This lot contains Balbriggan or Jersey Vests or Pants in a complete range of sizes. A standard 39c grade.

Lot 2—29c Each

This lot consists mainly of men's Jersey and Balbriggan Vests in coral, blue and tan shades and represents qualities sold regularly at 59c and 69c each.

WHIST PARTY

IN AID OF ST. COLUMBA'S PARISH LAST EVENING

A delightful whist party in aid of St. Columba's parish was held last evening at the home of Mrs. Thomas Berth, 29 Sarah avenue. There were 25 tables.

The whist winners were: First, lady's, Miss Nellie Little; second, lady's, Mrs. Thomas Brogan; consolation, Mrs. Thomas Judge. The winners of the gentlemen's prizes were: First, John Monaghan; second, George Campbell; consolation, Connelman William Crowley.

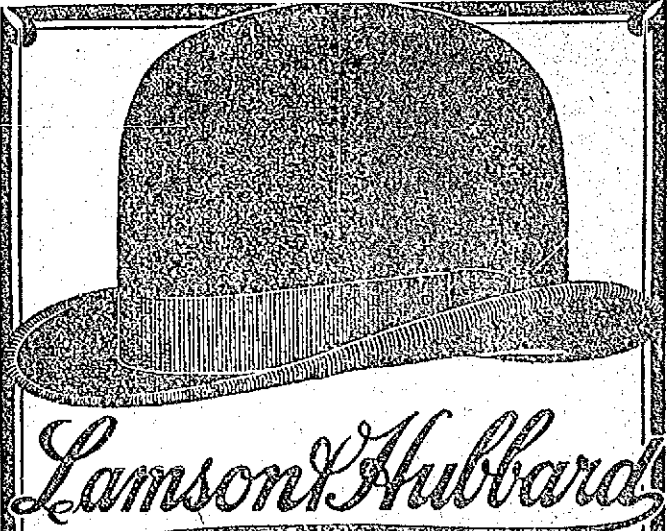
An informal program of music was given and light refreshments served later in the evening. Mrs. Berth had general supervision.

SUPERIOR COURT

APRIL SITTING OPENS HERE ON MONDAY

The superior court, April sitting, will open in this city on Monday, April 3.

The trial list contains many Lowell cases including the libel suits of Lowell vs. Boston Post and Stearns vs. Long.



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The boys of the Y. M. C. A. had as their guests last evening the boys of the freshmen and sophomore classes of the high school at a symposium on the subject, "Choosing a Life Work."

F. A. Woodward of the high school presided and in presenting the different speakers spoke briefly on the importance of choosing a life work for its value and helpfulness to the community.

Hon. Frederick A. Fisher, associate judge of police court, spoke on the opportunities of a legal profession and also the need of an immense amount of study and training before a start should be made.

Dr. G. M. Randall was the second speaker and after emphasizing the need of many years of training as well as study, he discouraged any young man from taking up this work, unless he was willing to pay the great price required. He placed the profession on an even higher plane than any other. In closing he said: "In the healing of bodies he has opportunities for healing souls which never come to any

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A FAKE BOMB

Was Placed in the Federal Building in Chicago

CHICAGO, March 31.—Just to show the government authorities how futile is their attempt to stop the work of the "Black Hand" murderers and extorters of money in Chicago, somebody slipped into the federal building yesterday, escaped the watchful eyes of the numerous special agents in the building and deposited a harmless "bomb" within a few feet of the chambers of Judge Landis' court on the sixth floor.

The murderous appearing parcel consisted of a big shotgun shell which had been emptied and filled with a substance that looked like hardened muckilage.

Charles Dewoddy, chief special agent for the government, who is investigating the "Black Hand" outrages in Chicago, used his knife on its outer coating and finally uncovered the muckilage. "I don't know why it was placed there," said Mr. Dewoddy. "It may have been a joke or possibly a warning."

CHICAGO PASTOR

Objects to Collecting Pew Rent

CHICAGO, March 31.—The question of renting church pews stands between a Chicago clergyman and his acceptance of the pastorate of Metropolitan tabernacle, London, where Rev. Charles Spurgeon preached. Rev. A. C. Dixon, pastor of Moody church, has returned home after spending two months in England. Just before he sailed deacons of the Metropolitan tabernacle notified him that the church had extended a unanimous call.

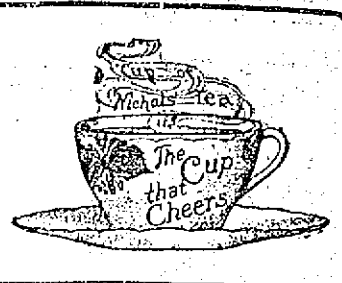
"There's an insuperable obstacle," said Mr. Dixon. "You'll have to quit collecting pew rent."

The deacons pointed out that Spurgeon collected pew rent for years and paid all the bills himself.

"I'd rather have no salary than the pew rent," the Chicago clergyman allowed.

"It's a great church—one of the greatest churches in the world," said Dr. Dixon last night. "If the pew renting is stopped I must give the call serious consideration."

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ANNUAL MEETING FAREWELL PARTY

Of Vesper Country Club Held Yesterday

The annual meeting of the Vesper Country club was held at Tyngs Island last evening with a large gathering of members. Dinner was served from 5.30 to 7.30 o'clock, Hubbard's orchestra



COL. A. M. CHADWICK
President

furnishing a pleasing program during the dinner.

After the dinner Col. A. M. Chadwick called the business meeting to order. The report of the treasurer, Arthur J. Murkland, showed the club to be in a prosperous condition. Secretary Andrew G. Swapp's report was a resume of the events of the year and reported a number of permanent improvements in the club property. The following were elected as directors for the ensuing year: A. M. Chadwick, A. J. Murkland, A. G. Swapp, Harry G. Pollard, Fred P. Marble, Perry D. Thompson, Joseph Peabody, William G. Brown and John K. Whitfield. Messrs. Wallace P. Butterfield and James Thorpe were chosen as auditors.

A vote of thanks was tendered Supt. Clough and his wife and the announcement that they would remain another year was received with applause.

The work of the executive committee also came in for commendation. There was some informal discussion as to the need of a new bungalow and garage and the executive committee was instructed to consider the matter and report at a later date.

During the evening Mr. J. G. Hill made a feeling reference to the loss the club had sustained in the death of Harry E. Shaw, who had served so efficiently on the house committee. Mr. Swapp also paid a tribute to the memory of other well known members who have passed on during the year.

JOAQUIN MILLER

THE AGED POET HAS FULLY RECOVERED

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—Joaquin Miller, the aged "poet of the Sierras" who early in the month was given up by the doctors, has now almost fully recovered. He has returned to his home on the heights overlooking San Francisco bay. He took with him his wife, from whom he had lived apart for ten years, and henceforth she will make her home with him, as well as his daughter Justina, who for the last two years has been a student of art in New York city.

JAP ARCHITECTS

TO STUDY NAVAL CONSTRUCTION IN ENGLAND

VICTORIA, B. C., March 31.—Five Japanese naval architects, enroute to England to study naval construction, arrived here last night on the steamer Empress of Japan. They are to be attached to the Vickers-Maxim & Sons shipyards during the construction of the 25,000 ton battleship being built for Japan which will have for its armament ten 14-inch guns.

The Japanese government, it is said, has in view the construction of three similar dreadnoughts in Japan.

Was Tendered Rev. A. P. Wedge and Family

A farewell reception was given last night by the Worthen Street Baptist church to the retiring pastor, Rev. A. P. Wedge and his family.



REV. A. P. WEDGE

also retiring at this time, were in the receiving line with Rev. and Mrs. Wedge. They are: Miss Susie Griffin, Mrs. E. G. Russell, Mr. Harry Knowlton, and the organist, Miss Lili

THE BIG SERIES

Between the Philadelphia Teams

PHILADELPHIA, March 31.—The professional baseball season in Philadelphia will be opened this afternoon when the two major league clubs of this city will begin their annual series of games for the local championship.

Today's game will be played on the American league grounds and tomorrow will be on the grounds of the National club. The series will consist of nine games. The Americans will start the games with the same men that won the world's championship last fall while several of the players who figured in the famous Cincinnati deal will be in the batting order of the Nationals. Coombs for the Americans and Moore for the Nationals are scheduled to do the pitching.

The ushers were Messrs C. O. Leadbetter, A. C. Day, W. E. Symonds, B. H. Wiggins, I. W. Goldthwaite, G. D. Farley, W. A. Brown, G. S. Snow, A. W. McQuestin, G. S. Drew, W. W. Carr. After the formal reception, there were remarks by the following clergymen: Revs. B. A. Willmott, S. W. Cummings, George F. Kennigott, A. R. Dills and J. W. Stephan. Rev. F. A. Macdonald presided.

A beautiful bouquet of roses was presented to Mrs. Wedge, and it was whispered that the bouquet had a heart of gold, a gold piece being concealed amid the blossoms. There were also a gift of money to Mr. Wedge. Mr. W. W. Carr made the presentation speech, to which Mr. Wedge responded briefly.

The elite orchestra played during the evening, and refreshments were served by the following ladies: Mrs. G. D. Farley, Mrs. W. N. Burke, Mrs. Charles Wilson, Mrs. Geo. H. Brock, Mrs. Joseph Barber, Mrs. C. O. Leadbetter.

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No Man is Stronger Than His Stomach

A strong man is strong all over. No man can be strong who is suffering from weak stomach with its consequent indigestion, or from some other disease of the stomach and its associated organs, which impairs digestion and nutrition. For when the stomach is weak or diseased there is a loss of the nutrition contained in food, which is the source of all physical strength. When a man "doesn't feel just right," when he doesn't sleep well, has an uncomfortable feeling in the stomach after eating, is languid, nervous, irritable and despondent, he is losing the nutrition needed to make strength.

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BOSTON CITY HALL

Is Reported to Be a Fire Trap

Commissioner Rourke Says Escapes Should be Provided for Upper Stories — Mayor Fitzgerald Says He Will Have it Made Safe—Old Court House Will be Equipped

BOSTON, March 31.—While the court was taking action in the cases of owners accused of failure to equip dwelling houses with fire escapes, and the officials in city hall were discussing the crusade against firetraps, Commissioner Rourke of the department of public works created something of a sensation by notifying Mayor Fitzgerald that the city hall itself is a firetrap.

He declared the building should be equipped immediately with fire escapes. The mayor promised that escapes would be put up at once.

The commissioner's office is on the fifth floor of city hall and he said that if he was to remain there fire escapes must be provided. He said there is no means of getting out of city hall from any of the floors above the school street entrance except by a bridge that connects the burling side with the old registry of deeds building on Tremont street and Court square.

The bridge connection is on the third floor, so that from the floors above, where are the offices of the engineers of the various divisions, the headquarters of the public works department, the statistics department and other departments, it would be necessary to jump in the event of the occupants being cut off by fire.

It was also pointed out that the old court house building wherein is housed the building department, is absolutely without fire escapes and this matter, too, will probably be brought to the attention of Supt. of Buildings Fish.

Asks for Injunctions

Assistant Corporation Counsel Adams appeared before Judge Pierce in the equity session of the superior court yesterday and asked for injunctions against the owners of eight buildings that are reported as not adequately equipped with fire escapes and means of egress.

In the afternoon Commissioner Everett of the building department presented three additional names of owners of buildings to the mayor, and similar action will be taken in the latter cases.

In the cases of the first eight, Judge Pierce allowed the owners one week in which to take action. These owners and the locations of the properties complained of are:

Albert R. Whittier and Edwin S. Woodbury, trustees, of 190-192 Commercial street.

Angelo de Rosa and Assunta de Simona, 271-273 Hanover street.

Teresa L. Leonard, 53-55 Albany street.

David C. and Samuel S. Seager, 32 Oxford street.

Fanulo and Zolick-Schneider, 100 Brighton street.

Charles D. Tower, 23 Allison street.

Abby E. Taylor, 13 Church street.

Harvey H. Rogers, holder of a tax title, and Mary A. Gately, guardian of Grand, and Olive P. Gately, actual

owners, and Angelo De Rosa, tenant, 158 Salem street.

Atty Adams told Judge Pierce that in all but one case, that at 13 Church street, work had already been started by the owners, and in some instances was nearly finished. It is understood that if work is not begun on the Church street building within a week an injunction will be granted. The orders for the changes were issued by the building commissioners during 1908, 1909 and 1910.

Show Has Sprinkler, But No Water

The three additional cases of alleged violation of the law reported to Mayor Fitzgerald by Commissioner Everett yesterday are:

Joanna Scannell, 17 Charter street.

Raffaella Jennini, 218 North street.

Martina E. Dyer, 134 Hampden street.

On of the inspectors of the building department informed Commissioner Everett that in Brighton he found a moving picture house that was provided with a water sprinkler, but no water. The commissioner promised to personally attend to that particular case and to other picture houses in the heart of the city.

The commissioner said he is handicapped in the work because of lack of inspectors. There are only three inspectors in the department who are at present qualified to serve, and they are in the employ of the schoolhouse department as clerks on buildings. Under the requirements of the department, and also the civil service requirements, a building inspector must be an architect, a builder, a civil engineer, a foreman of building construction for at least five years or a competent mechanic who has been in charge of building construction for the same period.

\$300,000 GIFT

Dr. Pearson to Celebrate Birthday

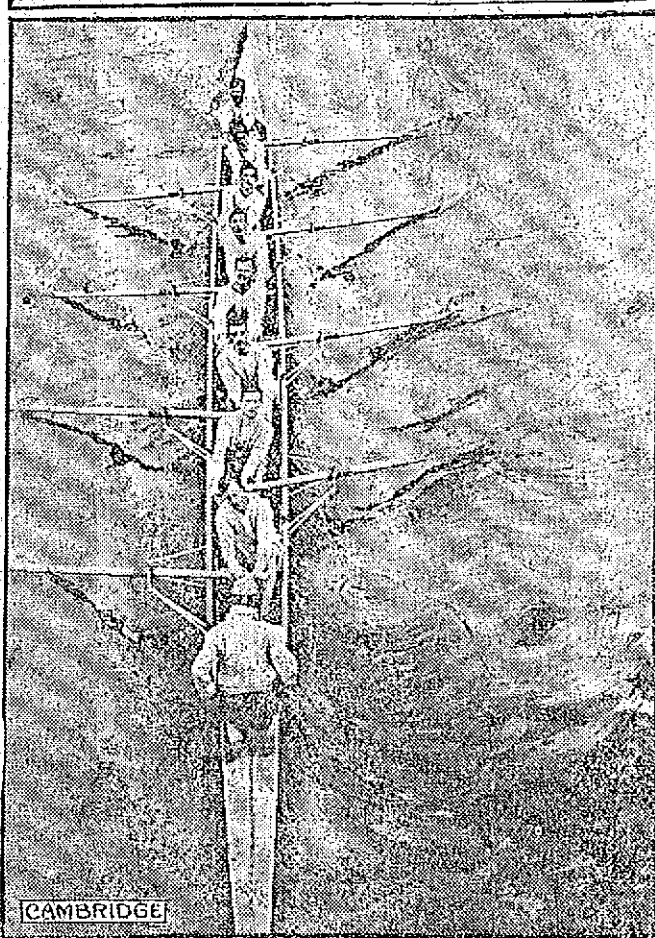
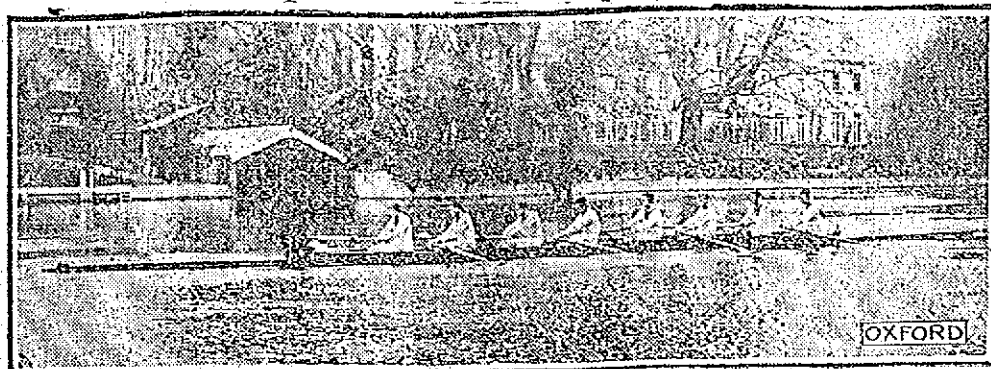
CHICAGO, March 31.—Dr. D. K. Pearson of Hinsdale, a suburb, will celebrate his 91st birthday April 14th, by the distribution of \$300,000 to schools and religious organizations.

This will make his total distributions of recent years nearly \$5,000,000, most of which has been given to small colleges.

The gifts are termed by Dr. Pearson as "debts" and in most cases are fulfillments of his pledges to different bodies of certain sums when they

should have collected other stipulated

OXFORD AND CAMBRIDGE CREWS READY FOR ANNUAL RACE ON THAMES



LONDON, March 31.—The annual Oxford-Cambridge boat race, which is scheduled to be held this year April 1st, promises to be as exciting as ever. The men of both crews are in excellent condition for a hard struggle, and the best judges are reluctant to indulge in predictions as to the result. The betting has been in favor of Oxford, but the Cantabs have improved so much of late that it will be at even odds on the eve of the event. Oxford and Cambridge have rowed sixty-seven races, Oxford winning thirty-six and Cambridge thirty, and one (1877) resulted in a dead heat. The distance from Putney to Mortlake is four miles. The best record for the distance is 18 minutes and 47 seconds, made by Oxford in 1893 and Cambridge in 1900. Oxford won last year by three and one-half lengths.

man's superiority was very evident. The decision was well received.

The semi-final between Johnny Daley of Cambridge, Mass., and Young Yelle of Taunton, Mass., was stopped by Referee Abbott in the second round, when it was apparent that Daley was in bad shape.

THE POST OFFICE

To be Closed Every Sunday Hereafter

Beginning next Sunday the local post office will be closed every Sunday. Postmaster General Hitchcock having sent a communication to Postmaster Legare giving his consent to the Sunday closing.

Recently the employees of the post office agitated closing the office on Sundays and a few days after Mr. Legare received his appointment, he wrote the postmaster general asking permission to close the office on that day.

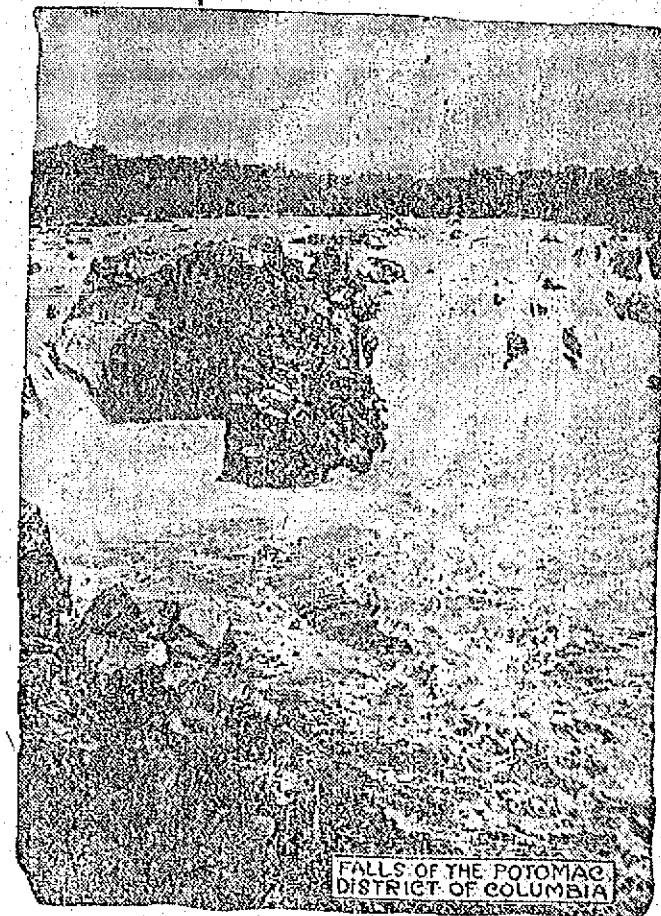
The postmaster general practically left the matter in Postmaster Legare's hands and now the employees of the office will refrain from working on Sundays.

BENNY KAUFMAN

GIVEN THE DECISION OVER YOUNG DYSON

THORNTON, R. I., March 31.—Benny Kaufman of Philadelphia, for the third time this season, was given the decision last night over Young Dyson of Providence in a 15-round bout at the Rhode Island Athletic club. Dyson forced the fighting practically all the way, but with the exception of a few rounds towards the end, Kauf-

FIGHT OVER PLAN TO DEFACE POTOMAC RIVER FALLS



WASHINGTON, March 31.—A bitter fight is certain to occur at the special session of congress, opening April 4th, over the question of the defacing of the falls of the Potomac, above the bridge leading to the Virginia side of the river. These falls are noted for their picturesque beauty and are a well known attraction to sightseers. The plan of some of the members of congress is to permit a company to establish a power plant at the falls to utilize the water power for commercial purposes. Vigorous opposition will be made to any attempt to ruin this

LES MISERABLES REAR ADMIRAL

Took Two Points From the Brownies

The Brownies were no match for Les Miserables last night, and as a result the latter team captured two of the three points. The Brownies started out strong and won the first string but failed to show any form in the second and third strings.

In the Bridge Street Bowlway league The Buffets won two points, but lost the total in the game with the Sunkist Lemons. Harmon of the "sour team" was high man.

The New York, New Haven & Hartford team of the Minor league defeated the Ramblers by a wide margin last night but fell down in the third string and thereby lost one point.

The game between the Clerks and Solicitors of the Moody Bridge league resulted in a victory for the Clerks who won two of the three strings and took the total pinfall by two pins.

The scores:

| EAST MERRIMACK ST. LEAGUE | | | | |
|---------------------------|-----|-----|-----|--------|
| Les Miserables | | | | |
| | 1 | 2 | 3 | Totals |
| Harriman | 96 | 93 | 94 | 283 |
| Burns | 92 | 81 | 80 | 253 |
| Shea | 85 | 80 | 110 | 275 |
| Cole | 86 | 101 | 93 | 280 |
| Hall | 82 | 103 | 78 | 263 |
| Totals | 441 | 458 | 455 | 1354 |

| Brownies | | | | |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|--------|
| | 1 | 2 | 3 | Totals |
| J. Martin | 83 | 89 | 92 | 264 |
| J. Martin | 83 | 88 | 78 | 249 |
| McManus | 89 | 89 | 99 | 277 |
| B. Martin | 92 | 80 | 89 | 261 |
| Gilligan | 105 | 85 | 93 | 283 |
| Totals | 453 | 432 | 451 | 1336 |

| MINOR LEAGUE | | | | |
|------------------|-----|-----|-----|--------|
| N. Y. N. H. & H. | | | | |
| | 1 | 2 | 3 | Totals |
| Myrick | 95 | 104 | 92 | 291 |
| Sharpe | 98 | 85 | 87 | 270 |
| Brook | 104 | 101 | 95 | 300 |
| Koegan | 92 | 88 | 99 | 279 |
| Croft | 92 | 95 | 85 | 272 |
| Totals | 478 | 478 | 458 | 1414 |

| Ramblers | | | | |
|----------|-----|-----|-----|--------|
| | 1 | 2 | 3 | Totals |
| Abbott | 89 | 84 | 89 | 262 |
| Groves | 100 | 88 | 93 | 281 |
| Moody | 89 | 94 | 120 | 303 |
| Burns | 92 | 80 | 89 | 261 |
| Keyes | 79 | 101 | 85 | 265 |
| Totals | 447 | 448 | 479 | 1374 |

| BRIDGE STREET BOWLWAY | | | | |
|-----------------------|-----|-----|-----|--------|
| Sunkist Lemons | | | | |
| | 1 | 2 | 3 | Totals |
| Lyons | 81 | 115 | 81 | 277 |
| Hartman | 107 | 118 | 88 | 313 |
| Houston | 83 | 84 | 80 | 247 |
| Bonellue | 76 | 80 | 73 | 229 |
| Leche | 88 | 94 | 87 | 269 |
| Totals | 430 | 486 | 409 | 1325 |

| Buffets | | | | |
|-------------|-----|-----|-----|--------|
| | 1 | 2 | 3 | Totals |
| Capt. Grant | 91 | 77 | 67 | 235 |
| Breen | 85 | 90 | 84 | 259 |
| Lee | 104 | 109 | 86 | 299 |
| J. Grant | 84 | 98 | 82 | 264 |
| Peabody | 90 | 86 | 94 | 270 |
| Totals | 454 | 454 | 413 | 1321 |

| MOODY BRIDGE LEAGUE | | | | |
|---------------------|-----|-----|-----|--------|
| Clerks | | | | |
| | 1 | 2 | 3 | Totals |
| F. Dubois | 81 | 99 | 80 | 260 |
| Sturtevant | 80 | 85 | 81 | 246 |
| Monter | 77 | 87 | 82 | 246 |
| J. Proulx | 85 | 83 | 91 | 259 |
| E. Proulx | 76 | 67 | 87 | 230 |
| Totals | 420 | 431 | 431 | 1282 |

| Solicitors | | | | |
|------------|-----|-----|-----|--------|
| | 1 | 2 | 3 | Totals |
| Choquette | 74 | 96 | 90 | 260 |
| Harnols | 80 | 101 | 85 | 266 |
| Allard | 78 | 85 | 94 | 257 |
| Groves | 85 | 86 | 86 | 257 |
| Keyes | 83 | 83 | 84 | 250 |
| Totals | 400 | 451 | 429 | 1280 |

| AMERICAN TEAM SECOND | | | | |
|--|--|--|--|--|
| BERLIN, March 31.—The international six-day bicycle race, which ended here last night, was won by Walter Rutt and Johann Stoll, the German-Dutch team, who covered 3408 kilometers (2118 miles). Floyd McFarland and James Moran, the American team, was second, about a third of a mile behind. | | | | |

Promotion for Capt. Chas. Badger

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Captain Charles J. Badger, commanding the battleship Kansas, has been promoted



to rear admiral to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Admiral Fremont. Admiral Badger will command the second division of the Atlantic fleet.

NOTED PREACHER

At Mission for Men at St. Margaret's

A powerful sermon on "Judgment" was delivered at St. Margaret's mission for men last evening by Rev. Fr. Alexis of the Passionist order who has come here to take the place of Fr. Boniface, who is ill. Fr. Alexis is one of the most noted preachers in the order, and recently closed a three weeks mission at the Cathedral in Boston. Next week he will open a week's retreat for non-Catholics in the Cathedral.

BROKE PLATE GLASS WINDOW

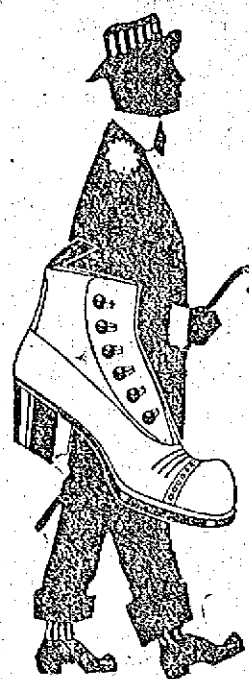
Two high school boys fell through one of the plate glass windows of the United Cigar store in Merrimack street yesterday afternoon. The boys were having a friendly scuffle and they clinched and one of them went up against the glass with force sufficient to break it. The loud crash of the breaking glass attracted the attention of everyone in the vicinity. Patrolman Murphy after securing the names of the boys allowed them to go to their homes.

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ALWAYS WILL BE

THE OPERA HOUSE

There is to be no performance by the stock company at the Opera House today, as the date is given up to Cyril Scott in "The Lottery Man". The stock company will resume its engagement again tomorrow, giving a matinee and evening performance of "The Christian". The bill to be given by the Thompson-Flynn players for next week will be a dramatization of the popular novel, "The Bishop's Carriage", a play that has won a wide measure of success and been one of the popular stock-bills in all the large cities, and is a play of strong dramatic scenes and situations. One of the principal characters of this drama is that of "Nance O'Brien", a child of the slums, who has been taught by criminal associates to become a female "raffles", and who is reformed by the efforts of "William Latimer", a man who has devoted his life to the reform of criminals. Miss Whitehouse, will be seen as "Nance" in next week's bill, while Stanley Forrest, will play "Tom Donnan", a character entirely different than anything that he has so far played here and one that gives Mr. Stanley an opportunity of demonstrating his versatility. There are several handsome sets required for the staging of this play, sets that are now in preparation and will be up to the usual excellent standard of productions made by this company. As usual, the first of the daily matinees will begin on Tuesday, when a souvenir photograph of some member of the company will be given to every lady holding a reserved seat ticket for that performance. The stock company for all appearances of "The Bishop's Carriage" are now on sale.—Adv.

"THE LOTTERY MAN"

After one has seen "The Lottery Man" it can easily be understood why the stage is running to comedies. The Messrs. Shubert produced this comedy early last fall, brought it to New York after a brief road tour and it has remained on Broadway, at the Bijou theatre, for practically the entire season. Cyril Scott, who used to play in musical comedy and later was starred in several well known dramatic successes, is the "lottery man" in question. He is surrounded by an excellent cast which includes Helen Lowell, Janet Beecher, Louise Galloway, Robert MacKay, Ethel Whitthrop, Mary Leslie May, Wallace Sharp, Harry S. Handfield. The comedy, which is by Rida Johnson Young will be seen for the first time in this city at the Opera House tonight.

The principal figure in the play is a newspaper reporter, Jack Wright. He has had a hard time for immediate cash and appeal to his chief, Foxy Payton, owner of the paper, to help him out. Payton makes an advance and Wright loses all of it on the stock market. As security he has pledged to turn in to Payton one of the biggest "scoops" the reporter has ever known. So Wright proceeds to "make good." He announces a lottery with himself as the prize.

"But," says the cautious newspaper owner, "a lottery is against the law." "The law says," explains Wright, "that you cannot give away a capital prize. In our case the prize will give itself away."

The first day the paper makes the announcement, thousands of old maids rush to the office. Wright is eager to proceed with the scheme as money is literally rolling in. Meantime he falls in love with Helen Hever and the agony he suffers—when as he explains the first woman he meets on the street may claim him as her husband—may be imagined. The plot is entirely original and is worked out in Mrs. Young's most entertaining style. The New York papers fairly raved over the bright situations. The fact that the comedy remained in New York for so long a time is one of its best recommendations.—Adv.

SEATS FOR MADAME X. ON SALE
The advance sale of seats of the engagement here, next Wednesday, April 5th, matinee and night, of "Madame X," began at the box office this morning at 9 o'clock. Telephone orders are suspended for this engagement and the rule of no more than ten seats to one person will be enforced.

The extraordinary success which has greeted "Madame X" in America, where at the present time three companies are playing the sensational French drama to capacity audiences nightly, indicates a return of the public tastes to the

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style of plays which were in demand twenty years ago when Fanny Davenport and Clara Morris were at the height of their careers. In deftness of construction, however, the Blason drama is a marked advance upon the plays of Sardou and Dumas as the latter were devoid of solely to produce thrills without rhyme or reason, while Madame X teaches a lesson, driven home with stinging force, of the purifying influence of mother love. The original New York and Boston company will present Madame X. here and Henry W. Savage's name is sufficient guarantee of the worth of the attraction.—Adv.

The concluding performances of James A. Herne's beautiful play "Shore Acres" will be given tomorrow and those who have not witnessed it as presented by the Donald Meek stock company should avail themselves of the final opportunity. Mr. Meek was never seen to better advantage than in the character of "Nathaniel Berry" made famous by Mr. Herne himself and in portraying the part he clings closely by the playwright's own conception of the character. The play is exquisitely staged, great regard being given to the detail. Next week the Donald Meek stock company with Severin DeDeyn will present one of the greatest of American plays, "Strongheart," Robert Edeson's greatest success which has scored a tremendous hit all over the country. "Strongheart" has been played here but once before when Mr. Edeson presented it for one performance, and it is comparatively new to Lowell. It deals with the love affair of a full blooded Indian who has been sent to college to learn the ways of civilization and is strongly dramatic in parts though admitting of much fine comedy and a thrilling football game. The character of "Strongheart" will be played by Mr. DeDeyn who has played it before with great success being peculiarly fitted by build, voice and manner to portray the character of a stalwart Indian. Donald Meek after playing a variety of roles, returns to his original comedy work in "Strongheart" playing the part of "Billy," the funny fellow of the college. Miss Estelle is cast in a congenial role and an augmented company fills in the cast. The play will be elaborately staged.—Adv.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

Only a few performances remain in which Lamont and his performing Australian Cockatoos will appear at the Merrimack Square Theatre. This novel act has amused thousands of Lowell people, especially the children, and judging from the expressions of opinion from the older folk it has been as entertaining as any vaudeville act seen on a local stage this season. Another number that has shared in the honors of the week is that put on by the Peta Lawrence Trio, decidedly clever young people with a line of entertainment that is sure to drive away the blues. The Gould Sisters, character change artists, have no superiors in their line, and Dick Mansfield, "The Man From Australia," has some new and original offerings that are exceptionally good. Emma Churchill, soloist, has pleased others, and is sure to please you. The daylight motion pictures, alone, warrant a visit to this theatre. As a special attraction at the sacred concerts on Sunday afternoon and evening the management takes pleasure in announcing the appearance of John J. Quigley, America's famous "Newcomer," in a brace of songs which include the latest success, "In the Garden of My Heart." Other first-class numbers will also be given. There is always something going on at the Merrimack Square, from 1:30 to 10:30 p. m. daily.—Adv.

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ACADEMY OF MUSIC

A new program was presented at this house yesterday and included some new novelties, the vaudeville acts. Dow and Dow are a pair of Hebrew comedians that make things merry while they are on the stage in their line of songs and stories. A pretty serial act is given by the Geers with tricks on the flying rings that are out of the ordinary. Chas. Calder & Co. appear in a funny comedy sketch called "A Financial Mistake."—Adv.

COLONIAL THEATRE

The bill for the last half of the week is very cleverly arranged. Phil Clayton made a decided hit last night with their new chatter songs and dances. A positive feature act from start to finish. The original Mark Downes, high class black faced comedian, brings the house down with his parodies and drama stories. The rest of the bill includes other acts of real merit. Our motion picture are positively the latest and finest ever shown in this city. A comfortable orchestra seat for 10c. Sacred concert Sunday. Amateurs every Tuesday night.—Adv.

BEVERIDGE IN CANADA

OTTAWA, Ont., March 31.—Ex-Sen. Albert J. Beveridge of Indiana, one of the staunch supporters of reciprocity with Canada in the United States recently, arrived unheralded in Ottawa yesterday accompanied by Mrs. Beveridge and his private secretary. He visited the parliament buildings and saw several government officials, but refused to be interviewed.

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Apron Gingham—Good Apron Gingham, full pieces, large assortment of checks and guaranteed fast colors, 8c value, at 6 1-2c yard

Linen Crash—Remnants of Linen Crash, bleached, good absorbent quality, sold on the piece at 10c yard, at 6 1-4c yard

Turkish Towels—Extra large Turkish Towels, heavy quality and bleached, 19c value, at 12 1-2c each

Domest Flannel—Remnants of Unbleached Domest Flannels, good, fine quality, 6 1-4c value, at 3 1-2c yard

Diaper Cloth—Diaper Cloth, all widths, soft finish, in 10 yard pieces, all 50c piece

Chambray Gingham—One case of fine Chambray Gingham, in all colors, fine quality, worth 10c yard, at 5c yard

Fine Embroideries—We are offering some very good bargains in fine Embroideries, Edges and Insertions, in all widths:

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Merino Underwear—Men's Merino Underwear, natural color, medium weight, at 45c each

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Men's Hose—Men's Cashmere Finish Hose, black and oxford, at 12 1-2c pair

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PALMER STREET

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A HAPPY FAMILY

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Dineen Boast of Eleven Children

Michael Dineen, the popular conductor on the Broadway-Hovey Square street line of the Boston & Northern, is a happy man today, for last night his 11th child was christened at St. Patrick's rectory by Rev. Fr. Curtin. The child was named Francis and his sponsors were William Hogan and Miss Catherine O'Hearn.

Mr. Dineen says he does not believe in race suicide and he is showing good proofs of it, too. Of his eleven children ten of them are boys, which is certainly a record that the happy father can boast of.

The father of this large family is a Lowell boy. He was born in this city some 59 years ago and was educated in the public schools, being a graduate of the old Mann school in Broadway. On

September 8, 1891, he was married to Miss Catherine Hyde, a former resident of California, who came to this city with her family at the age of 5 years. The marriage was performed at St. Patrick's church by Rev. Fr. Shaw, now pastor of St. Michael's church.

The children are all living and are in very good health. Ten of them are boys, and Mr. Dineen says that when they are old enough, he will form a base ball team, and still have an extra one as a substitute, while the young girl may act as mascot for the team.

The members of this happy family are: John, 19 years, an apprentice at Helge's electrical factory; Joseph, 17 years, a pupil at St. Patrick's parochial school, who will graduate this coming June after a two years' commercial

course; Alice, 15 years, a pupil at high school; William, 14 years, pupil at St. Patrick's parochial school; Paul, 12 years, also pupil at St. Patrick's parochial school; James, 10 years, pupil at Bartlett school; Leo, 7 years, and Charles, 6 years, both pupils at Bartlett school; Michael, Jr., 3 years, Edward, 22 months, and Francis, 5 days.

Mr. Dineen is a member of Industry council, R. A., and of the Boston & Northern Street Railroad union. His home is at 25 Oliver street.

MANDAMUS WRIT

Counsel Will Agree on a Disposal

The mandamus proceedings having to do with the recent joint convention by the city council will be disposed of, it was stated today, by agreement of counsel.

A PROTOCOL

ASSURES PEACE BETWEEN PERU AND BOLIVIA

LIMA, Peru, March 31.—Dr. German Martinez, the minister of foreign affairs and Fernandez Alonso, the Bolivian minister to Peru, last night, signed a protocol assuring amicable relations between Peru and Bolivia, pending the submission to the Hague tribunal of the points at issue over the boundary between the two countries.

Great Slaughtering of WALL PAPERS from the Kimball Wall Paper Stock of Nashua, N. H., all day Saturday

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Real mahogany, solid seat, well made and elegant. Reg. \$4.95 price \$8. Cleaning out sale price.....

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Made of real quartered oak, round seat, square legs. \$2.25 Regular price \$3.75. Sale price.....

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OUR CREDIT PLAN IS LIBERAL

We open accounts for everybody. By paying a small amount cash and a little every month, our customers can furnish their homes with taste, without disbursing a large amount cash. We can give you credit for one year if you so desire.

A Few of Our Reduced Prices on Our Large and Magnificent Stock

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| QUARTERED OAK BUFFETS..... | \$33.00 |
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| ROUND EXTENSION TABLES, 6 feet..... | 24.00 |
| SQUARE EXTENSION TABLES, 5 feet..... | 6.00 |
| GOLDEN OAK CHINA CLOSET..... | 28.00 |
| DINING ROOM CHAIRS, cane seated..... | 2.00 |
| PARLOR TABLES..... | 6.50 |

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Special Values

THAT WILL APPEAL TO THRIVING CUSTOMERS

Brass Beds, regular price \$35.00. Sale price.....\$30.00

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Iron Beds, regular price \$4.00. Sale price.....\$3.00

Golden Oak Bureau, regular price \$14.00. Sale price.....\$11.50

Quartered Oak Bureau, regular price \$22.00. Sale price.....\$19.00

Golden Oak Chiffoniers, with mirror, regular price \$15.00. Sale price.....\$12.00

Plush Carpet, regular price per yard \$1.25. Sale price.....\$1.10

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Best Tapestry Carpet, regular price \$1.00. Sale price......79c

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Green Iron Beds with brass trimmings, regular price \$22.00. Sale price.....\$18.00

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M. E. CONFERENCE

SOUTH MANCHESTER, Conn., Mar. 31.—With the exception of the devotional service which opened the day's proceedings, the greater part of the morning session of the New England southern conference of the Methodist Episcopal church was given over to the transaction of conference business. Missions, home and foreign, were the chief subjects of interest provided by the afternoon program.

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Now is the time for buying. Time is flying. Easter Sunday is hastening along. Do not wait until the last minute. Handsome flower trimmed hats in small, medium, and large shapes, particularly stylish creations with just enough trimmings to be distinctive and in good taste. We have put forth our very best efforts to give our patrons trimmed dress hats that would command in most places \$12.00 to \$15.00. For this week,

\$4.98, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$10.00

It will pay you to see these hats.

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| Tailor Suit Small Hats..... | \$2.98 to \$4.98 |
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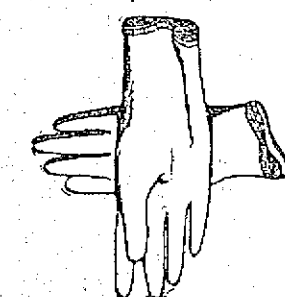
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Flowers and Follage from..... 19c to \$3.50

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1000 pairs of these excellent quality Gloves just received from our factory. Every lady should have a pair to protect the hands when doing housework. Keeps them soft and prevents chapping. With care they will give long service. Made to sell at 75c, and well worth it. This week only

39c Pair

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| Doan's Pills..... | 31c |
| Diapiesin..... | 31c |
| Stuart's Dys. Tab..... | 34c |
| Bovinine..... | 45c, 65c |
| Ext. Beef..... | 30c, 55c |
| Pierce's Discovery..... | 73c |
| Sagwa..... | 75c |
| Sal-Hypatica..... | 73c |
| Seidlitz Powders..... | 17c doz. |
| Peruna..... | 63c |
| Fellows' Syrup Hypophos..... | 91c |
| Pepto Mangan..... | 71c |
| Russell's Emulsion..... | 69c |
| Jaynes' Ext. of Malt, 17c, 3 for 50c | |
| Clapp's Malt and Oil..... | 59c |
| Varnesis..... | 69c |
| Gray's Glycerine Tonic..... | 69c |
| Beef, Iron and Wine, qt..... | 79c |
| Blood and Nerve Tonic, 60c, \$1.00 | |
| Riker's Syrup Hypophos..... | 75c |

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You can ask anybody about our SATURDAY SPECIAL CHOCOLATES. There are tons sold every Saturday. A 40c mixture, Saturday for 30c. Vermont Maple Syrup, 7c Cake. A complete line of Lowrey's, Schraff's, Apollo, Reputation, Exquisite, Sweets and Guth Chocolates.

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JAYNES' 50s. For the smoker who discriminates. Don't let the price stop you from trying this cigar.

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Only a short time left and this cigar will have a name. It already has established a reputation for itself on its quality. Try it today.

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Do you know the taste of real Havana? A great many advertise cigars to be made of the real Havana. We know this cigar is made of Real Havana.

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We can prove to you or your physician that there are many reasons why we should be permitted to compound your prescriptions.

We can afford to maintain facilities for the detection of impurities in drugs that would not be possible for the average retailer. We know every ingredient is the best obtainable.

Under no condition is anyone but a registered man permitted to put up a prescription.

Consider your health and the health of your family.

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Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilote, pressman, of The Sun, before me, January 2, 1911. J. JOSEPH HENNESSY, Notary Public.

If we are to have auto races in September, we should endeavor to have some aviator give an exhibition. A number of Lowell men, including Congressman Ames, have been experimenting with airships and it is time they gave them a tryout. Auto races are now so common that the masses will not crowd to see them as they did on the first or even the second occasion on the Merrimack Valley course.

CENSOR OF THEATRICALS

Police Commissioner O'Meara of Boston is well qualified to act as censor in any theatrical performance and he has probably under him, men who are as competent to criticize as he himself. That being so, Mayor Fitzgerald has no need of depending upon his own judgment in passing upon plays. Supt. Welch of Lowell is the local censor, but he has not taken any radical action to excite the wrath of the theatrical men.

CONGRESS TO ASSEMBLE

In a few days congress will again assemble to discuss the reciprocity measure and a hot fight is expected. The republicans will find themselves in a minority in the lower branch, but they have still a majority in the senate. It is likely that some of the schedules that are notoriously high will be revised. Whatever is to be done should be done quickly so that there shall be as little disturbance of business as possible.

REPORT ALL LOCAL FIRE TRAPS

It would seem that Supt. Hosmer should be able to find certain buildings in the city that are not properly provided with exits and fire escapes. If any fire horror should occur here Supt. Hosmer would have to bear the brunt of the blame. For that reason he should cause his men to make a survey of the city and report upon all buildings that are not properly equipped against the possibility of a sudden outbreak of fire. Special attention should be given to the buildings in which large numbers of people are employed. A list of all buildings requiring attention in this respect should be reported to the mayor in order that proper steps may be taken for the due protection of life and property in case of fire.

THE GREAT FIRE PERIL

In the fire horror of New York city and the subsequent destruction of the capitol at Albany not only the state of New York but the entire country has an object lesson in the need of greater vigilance in the matter of providing protection against fire. Where the laws are lax and officials still worse, there is ever present the danger of such disasters as have visited New York state during the past week. How can such calamities be averted in the future? By strict laws to minimize the danger, to promote preventive measures and to maintain well disciplined fire departments. Unless heroic measures are adopted we may find some great conflagration such as that of Chelsea, Chicago or San Francisco to wipe out an entire city. The fire peril is becoming more dangerous as the years go by, and it would seem that legislative bodies are mainly to blame for the unguarded state of affairs in many cities and states.

That any state capitol should be left in such a dangerous condition as was that of New York, is beyond comprehension. That the priceless records of the city and state should have been exposed to loss by fire at any moment shows criminal negligence. There is a bad odor about the state capitol, not because of the fire, for this odor has attached to it for many years, in fact since the capitol was built. The structure has been the scene of many grafting schemes. The very construction of the building was the pretext for all kinds of swindling operations, mismanagement and incompetency. The building itself is located on a quagmire and parts of it have been sagging and sinking for years. The building was left without a tower on the assumption that this would be added later, but subsequently it was found that the foundation and supports were not strong enough to carry a tower. Is it any wonder that the building was an accumulation of botchery when the first architect after starting the work was dropped, the second abandoned it as a bad job and the third endeavored to make the best of the tangle. The New York capitol, it may be said, represents the work of many administrations, each of which sought to make money out of the job. Much that was badly done by one administration seemed to inspire other administrations to do something still worse until by the time the capitol was finished it had cost the state \$25,000,000 and was not worth half the amount. But bad as it was known to be, nobody supposed it was a firetrap that would burn up in a few hours in spite of all the efforts of fire companies.

There is here a sorry spectacle in the work of public construction and fire protection. How could sane men construct and furnish a state capitol without a safety vault for the preservation of valuable records? There may have been some apology of this kind, but it did not save the records from destruction. The whole affair is a disgrace to the state and especially to the political bosses and leaders, from Lucius Robinson to John A. Dix and including Theodore Roosevelt, Tom Platt and David B. Hill. It would be difficult to say now just where the weight of the blame lay for making the state capitol a tinder box, but it is quite probable that one party is as much to blame for this result as the other. Both apparently shared in the extravagance, mismanagement and incompetence that produced the monstrosity.

It is stated that \$4,000,000 will repair the damage. In all probability the expense will be more nearly \$10,000,000, and then the capitol will be still a mass of defects, a building scarcely sufficient to support its own weight. Many New York citizens have cause to regret that the building was not destroyed outright so that a capitol might be built to meet all requirements in a decent way and so that the state might eventually have a state capitol that in architecture and convenience might compare with some of the best in the country.



"Hello Central! Give me three double one two four ring twenty-three."

"Hello, May is this you?"

"Yes, dear, this is me."

"Where in the world May, have you been for the last two weeks? I have been looking for you at our old meeting places almost every day and sometimes twice a day. Yesterday I was sure I saw you at the Bon Marche and I was about to holler when I discovered a mistake. Mamma said she caught sight of you at Pollard's the day before but couldn't get to you because of the crowd. I hope you haven't been trying to avoid me?"

"Alice, dear, you know better than that. You know that I am always tickled to death to see you. I have called you several times on the phone and it was always a case of 'wire busy' or 'not at home.' Didn't they tell you I called?"

"No, they didn't tell me, and mamma always tells me when anybody calls while I am out. I think, dear, you have been dreaming. But it does seem so good to hear your voice. I don't feel the least little bit like scolding. Have you been to the Opera House or the Hathaway this week?"

"Yes, I have seen 'The Christian' at the Opera House, and it is grand."

"Did you go to the Hathaway Monday night and think that Donald Meek is just splendid in Shore Acres. I would like him better if he were a little larger. I didn't know until Monday night that he is married and really, I had fallen quite in love with him. I like talented people. Perhaps that's why I'm so fond of you."

"Oh, Alice, aren't you the—hello—hello, hello—what in the world is the matter with this line. I suppose it's that Mrs. Pedigree breaking in again. Isn't she the newsy old thing?"

"Yes, she just makes me good and tired. She thinks she ought to be occupying this line the live long day. I was talking with Willie the other evening and I'll bet that if she broke in once she did a dozen times. Our telephones were in three years before she

ever thought of having one and she seems to think that she has just as much right on this line as we have. She's not in our set and she ought to take a tumble and keep off the line. That will hold her for a while. She happens to be listening and I bet she is."

"Alice, dear, I do like to hear you go it. When it comes to knocking you are certainly an artist. But we were talking about the theatres."

"You said you went to the Opera House."

"Yes, Jack and I went to the Opera House, Monday night, and if you were half as smitten on Donald—Donald—what's his name, as I was on the leading man, you have my sympathy. I do think that Forrest Stanley at the Opera House is a peach. I told Jack so and he said he thought the leading lady is better. Isn't he horrid?"

"Oh, yes I always thought so."

"Now Alice, don't be sarcastic. I know that 'way down deep in your heart you have a tender feeling for Jack. If you think him such a horrid boor, I shouldn't think you would recognize him on the street, but you do and he told me he had a long talk with you not many days ago."

"Oh, yes! Did you get jealous?"

"No, I'm not the jealous kind."

"Well, May, he said he liked a plain hat like mine, as heavy undressed as then adorned the most."

"He said that, did he?"

"Sure, and he told me your new hat was not becoming to you at all."

"Well, I guess I had better tell him some of the nice things you have said about him."

"Hic! ha! May, I knew I'd get you rattled. Don't get mad."

"Hello! Hello!"

"Goodness there's Mrs. Pedigree again and she's calling the supervisor to put us off the line so she can order a yeast cake from the grocery store."

"Skidoo! the word."

"Good bye May."

"Good bye Alice, isn't it mean that we can't talk a couple of minutes without interruptions?"

SEEN AND HEARD

It isn't legal proof that a man is honest and all right because he has never been arrested.

The wise man always thinks before he speaks. This shows how few of us are wise.

In your idea of heaven, how do you provide a place for the people that you don't like?

Just because a young man tells a girl that she is a peach, she has no reason to be conceited. Some peaches are green, disagreeable-looking things.

What business has an old bachelor to go swilling around, obviously filled with the idea that he is the best man at the wedding?

A young man is expected always to defer to an old one, even when the old

Guaranteed Results

man doesn't know a quarter part as much.

The economical housekeeper doesn't fully enjoy dining at a restaurant because there is so much apparent waste.

Jimmy and his pals were playing marbles as the new minister came along.

"Boys," said the newcomer, "can you show me the way to the postoffice?"

Jimmy pointed the way and then returned to his marbles.

"Little man," said the minister, "don't you know it is wrong to play marbles; that it is a form of gambling."

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Shown this season are our Imported Harris Tweeds.

Soft grays and quiet tans, with a bit of a sporty air about them—these tweeds are a trifle heavier than regulation Spring Coats—made up skeleton with silk shoulders, and cravenetted so they'll shed water, from Rogers Peet & Co. **\$32.00**

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Of soft-faced wool goods and in diagonals, homespuns and the like—with these a few that incline to brown **\$15 to \$25**

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That are good ten months in the year. Quiet oxfords and blacks—Thibets, meltons, twills and chevots. Made up plain or silk faced to the edge, **\$10 to \$30**

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Ready for you when you are ready for the suit.

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PEOPLE OF NOTE

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"Aw, cheese it, mister," said Jimmy, "you show me the way to heaven, why you don't even know the way to the postoffice."—National Monthly.

THE DAYS OF LONG AGO—When life burns to ashes that held but an ember—A fast fading spark of their olden time glow—The mind may forget, but the heart will remember—The deeper delights of the days long ago.

A mother's devotion, unfeigned, unbending, Her loving caress, her smiles, and her tears: A sister's affection, no plummet hath sounded, No tempest hath ruffled in all the long years.

Another—a vision of beauty and splendor—That Time and his shadows can never eclipse—Comes back in the gleaming, with eyes soft and tender, And thrills you again with the touch of her lips.

The world is enchanted, a wonderful palace, Dream-built and celestial, inviting repose: You drink the rich draught of a nectar, dimmed chalice, And life is as fragrant and sweet as a rose.

It may be that still in your memory lingers A child's artless prattle with love in the air: The sweet pressure felt of a baby's soft fingers, Pink, clinging, and dimpled—entwined with your own.

Not darkness nor slumber effaces the token That, hallowed, unbidden, once came as your guest: That voice has been hushed into silence unbroken, Those hands now are folded in infinite rest.

Your steps may be slow and your locks may be hoary, Approaching the end of your pilgrimage here: And yet the recital of one little story, Like rain in the desert, will freshen and cheer.

And thus Retrospection—from May to December—What favors or fortune may come at your call—Will never forget, and the heart will remember That Love was the jewel outshining them all!

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GRAND OFFICERS

Visited the Odd Fellows of This City and Billerica

Last night was a red letter night with the Odd Fellows of this city and Billerica, the occasion being the visitation of some of the grand officers of the grand lodge of Massachusetts, I. O. O. F., to Grand Union, Highland-Veritas, Oberlin, Centralville and Lowell lodges of this city and Shawshen of Billerica, at Odd Fellows temple in Middlesex street. There were about 400 present and a grand reception was tendered the officials, after which a banquet was held and speeches were made. There were a number of guests in attendance including delegations from out of town lodges.

The local lodges were represented by large delegations.

Among the grand officers present were: Grand Master Horace M. Sargent of Haverhill, Grand Instructor Webster of Boston and Deputy Grand Master George L. Marshall of Somerville. These officers and others held a reception from 8 to 8.30 o'clock, and then a business session was held at which the first degree was worked before the visitors.

Inasmuch as last night was the regular meeting night of the Grand Union lodge, the business of the lodge was transacted as usual.

At the conclusion of the business session those present repaired to the banquet hall where an excellent menu was discussed. After the inner man had been satisfied speeches were in order. Herbert C. Riddick acting as toastmaster. Mr. Riddick spoke briefly on the work of the organization in this city and then called on the grand officers for remarks. Noble Grand W. H. Lussure of Monadnock lodge of Lawrence, who was accompanied by about

50 members from Lawrence, also spoke. Others who contributed to the evening's program were Russell Fox and Warren Reid. A vaudeville sketch from the Colonial theatre was well received and remarks by M. C. True, of Beverly, formerly of Lowell, were appreciated.

The general committee in charge of



MR. H. C. RIDDICK
Toastmaster

Burton, W. S. Essex, Frank S. Barlett, O. V. Roby, W. O. Farrell, A. W. Floyd, Frank C. Nickols, and C. A. Marshall. The chairman of the supper committee was C. A. Upton; chairman of reception committee, C. O. Munroe; chairman of entertainment committee, H. C. Riddick. The supper was served by the Women's auxiliary of the Y. W. C. A. It was close to the midnight hour when the affair was brought to a close.

AN INSANE MAN SHOT THE FIRST THREE MEN HE MET

BURLINGTON, Wash., March 31.—William Weegin, a rancher of South Prairie, became violently insane yesterday, and taking a rifle went out on a county road and shot and killed the first three passers-by, who were John Rankin, William Hanke and John Ware, all of Burlington.

So far as known Weegin knew none of the victims, but possessed by a murderous mania, killed the first persons who came within his range. After the shooting, Weegin mounted a horse and rode away with his rifle. A posse has gone in pursuit.

G.A.R. ENCAMPMENT ORDERS ISSUED BY COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF

BOSTON, March 31.—John E. Gilman, commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, in general orders announces the preliminary plans for the 45th national encampment to be held at Rochester, N. Y., during the week beginning August 21. Headquarters assignments at the various hotels are given and the appointment of comrades from New England states to the commander-in-chief's staff. Among the latter are Royal B. Bradford of Lewiston, Me.; M. Thibblits of Bangor, Me.; John A. Hazell of Chester, N. H.; and David Spradby of Groveton, N. H.



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BODY RECOVERED

Samuel Abbott, Victim of Capitol Fire in Albany

The Body Was Charred Almost Beyond Recognition—Debris is Searched for Valuable Manuscripts—Volunteer Salvage Corps is at Work

ALBANY, N. Y., March 31.—The body of Samuel Abbott, the human victim of the state capitol fire was found in the southwest corner of the building where the flames raged fiercest. The body was charred beyond recognition but identified by means of a watch. Workmen clearing away the ruins of the southwest cupola, the only part of the exterior wall to give way, found the remains of the aged night watchman in a little corridor on the fourth floor. That portion of the building was honeycombed with temporary partitions and floors and since the flames did not reach it until nearly an hour after the fire started it is believed that Abbott was overcome by smoke before the fire touched him or that he lost his life in a vain attempt to rescue some of the state's valuable relics.

The body will be taken for burial to Syracuse, Mr. Abbott's former home, where his wife's grave is located.

A volunteer salvage corps including officers of the state library and headed by Director Wyer, Jr., and Mr. J. Stokes Phelps of New York, continued today the search of the debris for valuable manuscripts. Mr. Phelps is a man of wealth and leisure, who has specialized in the salvage of manuscripts and when the trustees of the New York public library heard of the state's irreparable loss they sent him to help rescue what he could.

Mr. Phelps helped salvage many old manuscripts from the wreck of the burned Turin library in Italy.

The state library school, regarded as one of the finest in the country probably will be taken elsewhere when the next term begins.

Library Director Wyer says that an offer of Columbia may be accepted temporarily next year.

ENGLISH CREWS

Oxford and Cambridge Evenly Matched

LONDON, March 31.—The Oxford and Cambridge crews, which will row over the Putney in the annual university race tomorrow, are about as evenly matched, judging from appearances, as any two eights that have met for some years.

Cambridge had the better material to choose from, a number of her men having had several seasons' experience in the boat. Oxford on the other hand, was obliged to build up a new crew. Nevertheless, when they came down to Tidewater to conclude their training the Dark Blues were slight favorites. Since then Cambridge has improved more rapidly and rowing men have found it difficult to pick the winner.

STUDENTS STRIKE

Instruction at College Suspended

SPOKANE, Wash., Mar. 31.—Instruction was suspended at the Washington State college yesterday as the result of a strike of students. At a meeting Wednesday night it was decided that all the 1200 students would remain away from classes until the culprits who participated in an attack on the girls' dormitory early Tuesday were apprehended and expelled.

During the attack on the dormitory, the beds of more than a dozen young women were overturned, and the girls were then hauled around the floor in the bedding. Evidence is said to be strong against a half-dozen students who are prominent in athletics. Several girls are prostrated as a result of fright or through the treatment they underwent. A number suffered injuries.

TO CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY
NEW YORK, March 31.—The national committee for the celebration of the 100th anniversary of peace among the English-speaking peoples, held a meeting in New York last night, at which resolutions were adopted endorsing the proposed arbitration treaty between the United States and Great Britain.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column

MURDER CHARGE

Continued

B. Fields, Mary Molloy and Mary Ellen Molloy, the two latter being occupants of the building in which the shooting took place.

Nicholas Paparos, who the dying man said did the shooting while Pachouras held him, is wanted for murder, but the police, despite the fact that they have thrown out the dragnet have been unable to capture him. Post cards bearing his likeness as well as descriptive circulars of him have been sent broadcast and the police are in hopes that before long they will be able to place him under arrest.

According to the dying statement of Germanakos, in the presence of Supt. Welch of the police department, Pachouras and the girl, Pachouras held him while Paparos fired two or three shots at him. Pachouras' story of the shooting is to the effect that when he entered the tenement, Germanakos and Paparos were struggling in the room, and he, not knowing what the trouble was about, stepped between the men in order to separate them when Paparos said: "Grab him." Unconsciously, he said, he grabbed Germanakos and held the latter's hands and before he could realize what had happened, Paparos had fired three shots at Germanakos with blood flowing from two bullet wounds left the house, but he remained there until the police arrived and was placed under arrest. The police are of the opinion that Pachouras' story of the affair is the true version.

Parker Rearrested

Chester H. Parker, who appeared before the court the day before yesterday, pleaded guilty to the larceny of 117 pounds of copper and was ordered to pay a fine of \$16, reappeared in court this morning, he having been arrested yesterday on a warrant charging him with the larceny of 20 pounds of copper from the Boot mills. He entered a plea of guilty to the complaint.

Major Noyes informed the court that Parker had been working for a contractor who was doing work for the Boot mills, and Parker in that way was able to steal the copper. He said that the copper specified in this special complaint was stolen on a different occasion than that on which the man was sentenced the day before yesterday.

Major Noyes, although prosecuting officer, stated to the court that Parker had some very good relatives and did not care about pressing the case too hard. Judge Hadley then ordered Parker to pay a fine of \$15.

Sent to the Farm

Charles L. Stack, a young man not yet 21 years old, was before the court on a complaint charging him with drunkenness. Patrolmen Sheridan Noonan and Kege testified that Stack had been hanging around the vicinity of the postoffice associating with people of low character and was getting to be a common nuisance.

Stack admitted that he had been drinking yesterday but that he had not been drinking as much as the officers had testified to, neither had he been hanging around the streets. He admitted, however, that on several occasions he had carried beer to people in a house in Tyler street. Owing to the young man's physical condition, the court deemed it advisable to send him to the state farm.

Other Offenders

John J. Mahoney was under a suspended sentence of four months in jail, but he did not appreciate his freedom, therefore Probation Officer Slatery surrendered him and he will spend the next four months in jail.

Richard Webb and Martin Kierce were both sentenced to the state farm. John O'Donnell and David Barnett were each fined \$8 and two first offenders were fined \$3 each.

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BEAUTIFUL BUT TURBULENT MEXICO IS ADDING PICTURE PAGES TO HISTORY DAILY



By GEORGE WAUGH ARNOLD.

WITH a thousand miles of United States territory coterminous with that of Mexico or separated from it by only the yellow and not too broad waters of the Rio Grande, there is real reason for American perturbation over the Mexican question. With the precedent and parallel case of Cuba still fresh in the minds of adult Americans we cannot afford to consider revolution, counter revolution, insurrections, disturbances of business in Mexico as purely academic matters. In other words, trouble in Mexico comes home closely to American minds and Yankee pocketbooks. Mexico undisturbed and moving quietly along the path of national peace and development is one thing; Mexico rent by dissensions, running with blood, destroying the investments of Americans and other foreigners and keeping our border in continual turmoil is quite another thing.

It is the fashion to decry the dollar argument in dealing with questions of national and international interest, but it is the matter of investments which counts nevertheless. According to Henry Lane Wilson, American ambassador to Mexico, there is \$1,000,000,000

of American money invested in Mexico. British, German, French and other foreign undertakings in the land south of us account for even a larger sum. American investors and the financiers of other countries look to us to keep the stream of dividends flowing steadily across the Mexican border. When the flow is dammed by insurrection Washington hears the cry of distressed investors. It must not be forgotten that Mexico ranks among the naturally wealthy countries of the world. It has resources which have not been touched since the days of the Montezumas and others of which even those ancient emperors knew nothing and which lay awaiting the touch of the foreign mining engineer and promoter.

There are 75,000 Americans in Mexico, 10,000 in the City of Mexico alone, and most of them are interested in mines, railroads and engineering enterprises. The principal property with which American capital is identified is the National Railways of Mexico, formed by a consolidation in 1899 under government control of the chief railroad systems of the country.

The largest manufacturing business in Mexico controlled by Americans is

the Continental Rubber company, a \$30,000,000 concern, which has a 2,000-acre farm in northern Mexico and which at its factory at Torreón turns out more than 200,000 pounds of rubber per month.

The Greene-Cananea Copper company is another gigantic American investment. Its capitalization is \$50,000,000.

Eighty per cent of the inhabitants of Mexico today are either full blooded Indians or partly of Indian blood, descendants in many cases of cannibal tribes. Every native male inhabitant over twenty-one years of age is entitled to a vote, but many of them know nothing of their right of suffrage, many refuse to vote because they do not recognize the government, and others vote only as they are commanded to.

Mexican people have fifty languages and dialects. Many still secretly practice pagan rites, and the majority of the natives are barefooted, illiterate, inherently lawless and almost hopelessly lazy.

But the public school system, introduced a quarter of a century ago, is bringing about a sober minded industrial middle class, and the effect will

1—Scene at Diaz inauguration. 2—Mexican soldiers at drill. 3—Peon making basket. 4—A typical sennoria. 5—Insurrectos derailing train. 6—Ancient stone fountain in Mexican city. 7—President Diaz. 8—General Orozco, insurgent leader, and aid (Orozco on left).

be more and more felt by each succeeding generation.

Thirty years ago Mexico had no manufactures to speak of—certainly none of which the outside world took any notice. But today her cotton mills, tobacco factories and sugar refineries give steady and profitable employment to thousands. Other industries include

lute, silk, woolens, iron and steel, paper, soap and beer manufactures.

The action of the war department in sending a force of 20,000 men to "maneuver" along the Texan border was received with thankfulness by the supporters of the Diaz regime, for they believed that the "maneuvering" would put an end to the brisk trade that has been going on in the furnishing of arms, ammunition, food supplies and even fighters from American soil.

These daredevil young "gringos" have been prominent in all the skirmishes, and their activity has practically banished the word "manana" from the Spanish war lexicon.

The personality of President Porfirio Diaz is intensely interesting. He is a despot, but largely in a paternal way, and political writers generally give him all the credit for the placing of Mexico among the important nations.

According to James Creelman, in his recent book "Diaz, Master of Mexico," he has transformed a large part of his country. Great engineering works have been established through his energy, tact and enthusiasm. Public education has been fostered, and thousands of miles of profitable railroads have been built. The finances of the country have been placed on a sound

basis. More could not have been done in a quarter of a century by any ruler.

Diaz was thirty-three years old and a brigadier general at the time of the fall of Puebla in 1853. He received offer after offer from Emperor Maximilian to join the royalist cause, but steadfastly refused and fought until he had to surrender his little force at Oaxaca to General Bazaine in February, 1855. He had used up all the cathedral bells of the city to melt into bullets or he would have held out longer.

He was imprisoned until September, when he broke jail and with an "army" of fourteen men won two victories, secured re-enforcements, captured arms and ammunition and in June, 1857, captured the City of Mexico. He was made president in 1877. Every presidential election since then has had only one serious candidate save for the term 1890-4, when Diaz's old comrade Gonzalez was chosen to head the Mexican government.

NO CHOP SUEY FOR CHINAMEN.

"I have just come from a trip to China," said the foreign agent, "and I found everything to eat there except

chop suey. While seeing the sights in various Chinese cities I would occasionally drop into a restaurant to have a bite of native food. An order for a bowl of chop suey invariably was met by a mystified shake of the head. The fact is that they don't eat chop suey in China. An intelligent Chinaman tells me that chop suey is eaten only by pigs, cats and Americans. It is the American corruption of some Chinese dish that probably was very good. There is a legend to the effect that it was invented by some practical joker in San Francisco's Chinatown, and from there it has spread over the entire United States and most of Europe. Even London, Paris and Berlin now have their chop suey joints where respectable natives go and consume the stuff under the impression that they are being wicked. Chinamen in America tell me that chop suey is eaten only by the poorer Chinese, who order it in the dingy restaurants because it is cheap."

SCARLET A BAD TARGET.

Careful experiments by the German government has brought out the fact that light gray, such as that worn by the West Point cadets, is the color most lost to sight in the battlefield. Scarlet comes next, with dark gray, blue and green in the order named. In target practice it was found that of all colors scarlet is most difficult to hit. Light green is almost invisible under the violet tinge of electric lights and would therefore be an excellent color for the uniforms of naval scouts who would be exposed to the rays of an enemy's searchlights.

Taal, the Volcano Within a Lake, That Killed More Than 3,000 Filipinos

WHEN we acquired the Philippines twelve or thirteen years ago, with all their varied assortment of oil-mats and scenery and native population—and trouble, some folks say—we added to our national collection of freaks one of the most famous volcanoes in the world. Not many Americans have heard of Taal or had heard of the fire mountain before its recent destructive eruption, but all or nearly all of the Philippine natives know it. It occupies a prominent place in the natural history of the archipelago, and now it ranks among the world's most notorious natural murderers. Three thousand lives were lost when Taal resumed activity a few weeks ago.

As travel goes nowadays Taal volcano is not situated in a distant part of the earth. It is in our very back yard, so to speak, lying only about thirty-five miles south of Manila. Many Americans have visited the mountain since the Spaniards occupied the island of Luzon and its sisters. So the 3,000 men and women wiped out suddenly by the blowing off of the top of the mountain were not strangers, "foreigners," but fellow Americans, deserving of sympathy because of our common nationality. It is not strictly related to us by blood. The American Red Cross and the government of the Philippines have issued appeals for the surviving relatives and dependents of the sufferers.

The scenes which followed the eruption may not be described. Photographs which have reached this country show victims lying singly and in groups, twisted into horrible shapes by the flood of molten rock which poured upon them from the infernal crater. Crops, domestic and wild animals, trees, all suffered and died in the eruption. In one spot at the base of the low lying volcano 600 natives made their home. When a handful of Americans who were in the vicinity crossed to the scene of the disaster a few hours after the explosion they found the village completely annihilated and the ash covered surface of the volcano strewn with dead bodies. Seven human survivors were found and removed to safety. Two puppies and a gamecock were the only animal survivors. The fighting rooster is shown in the picture. He is a good specimen of the gamecock which is such a favorite among the Filipinos as a domestic pet and as a source of sport and possible revenue.

When the volcano of Taal is not emitting death and destruction for twenty miles around, making access to its sides impossible, it is worth visiting. For lonely grandeur and amid scenes of desolation it ranks well among the world's most noted volcanoes. Together with the mountain it

self, its barren, rocky slopes and the magnificent view across the crater, nearly a mile in width, there is the lake in which the crater lies. The waters of this lake, as clear water as may be found, contain the remains of villages and towns buried by former eruptions of the volcano. Comparatively modern eruptions of the volcano

covered some towns, in two of which only the church roofs are visible. Other days when the surface of the lake is unruffled one can look down into the streets of the submerged towns and see the fish dart through doors and

twenty-five feet deep, but is so clear that every detail is visible.

In the olden time and possibly ever since the world was created from chaos Taal was some ten or fifteen thousand feet high, according to the geological experts. Successive "explosions" have brought the crest of the volcano to within 350 feet of the surrounding country. Interesting testimony to the terrific force of the eruptions. It is the lowest active volcano in the world, and the recent outburst lowered it at least five feet more. If Taal keeps on erupting it will sink until it

is only a mound of debris, the outpourings of its own fiery spirit.

Taal has been known as a "bad" volcano since the beginnings of recorded time in native annals, and its eruptions have been noted in the Spanish history of the Philippines. The recent eruption is the first one of importance since the Americans took possession of the island. In the words of one observer: "For nearly 150 years the fire god of Taal had been lying quiet. Now he has made a new effort to free himself. In doing this he has destroyed much of the work of man in the vicinity. The town of Talisay, that was one of the four towns and ten villages destroyed, has had an especially hard struggle for existence. It was so much of an insurgent town that the Spaniards burned it; then the Americans partly burned it, and now the volcano has wiped out what was left."

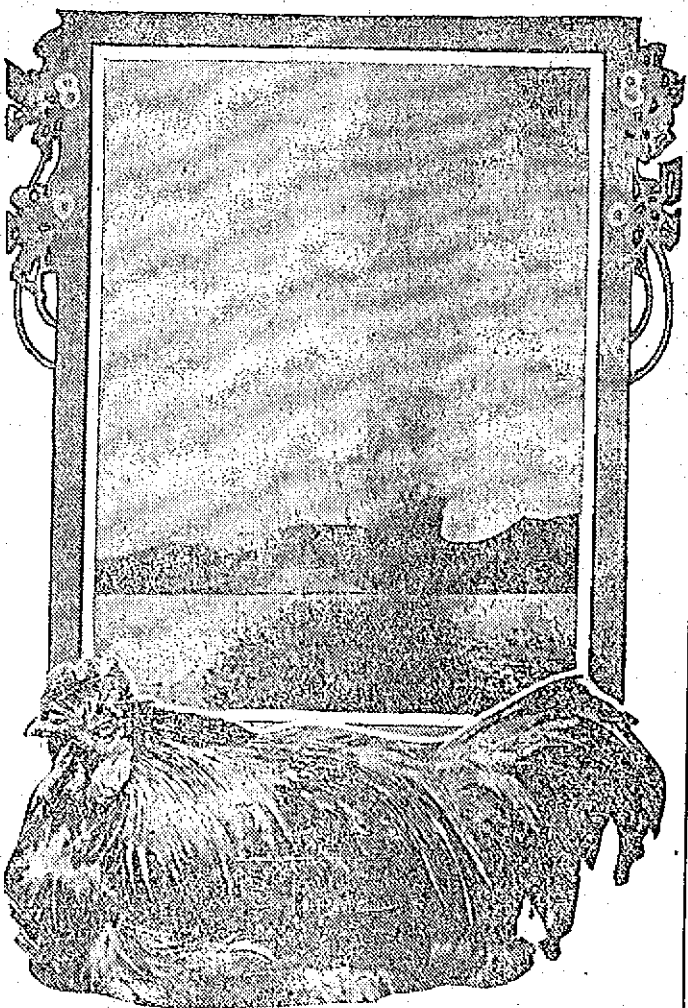
In 1784 occurred a famous eruption of Taal, described by a Spanish chronicler, writing thirty-six years after the event, as having caused the destruction of the towns of Taal, Tanauan, Sala and Lipa. "People in Manila dined with lighted candles at midday and walked about the streets con-founded and thunderstruck, clamoring for confession during the eight days that the calamity was visible." The author adds that "the smell of sulphur and fire lasted six months after the event and was followed by malignant fever, to which half the inhabitants of the province fell victims. Moreover, the lake waters threw up dead alligators and fish, including sharks."

As has been written, many Americans have visited Taal, in some cases to the endangering of their lives. On one occasion when a party of distinguished visitors were viewing the crater the volcano decided to misbehave. The eruption placed the party in great peril, but fortunately none of them was killed or injured. One of the members of the exploring expedition was Mrs. J. Franklin Bell, wife of the general commanding the American troops in the Philippines.

HOWARD SINCLAIR.

WHAT YEAR IS THIS?

Most of us would suppose that one thing that we knew perfectly well was what year this is. Not everybody in the world or even in this country of ours would admit that to say this is the year 1911 is entirely correct. This is by the Byzantine method the year 7419. According to the Julian calendar it is the year 6824. In the Jewish era it will be until the 23d of September the year 5672. The ancient Romans would have figured it to be the year 2664, the ancient Greeks the year 2837 or the third year of the six hundred and seventy-second Olympiad. The Mohammedan considers that the year 1329 began on Jan. 2, while the Japanese calls it the year 2571 and the Chinese the year 4509. At Washington it is still reckoned as the one hundred and thirty-fifth year of American independence, and as such all official pronouncements are dated.



DEATH DEALING VOLCANO; GAMECOCK SURVIVOR.



Resurrection

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'TIS Easter in my heart tonight;
For Love has risen there—
Love crucified; his tomb was blight.
Through empty years that were as night
He lay, bereft of life and light.
Ah, how those years were bare
The while Love lay, a deadened thing,
In my heart's sepulcher
And dismal time crawled on to bring
No voice that made him stir!

BUT Love has risen, heart of mine!
Once more I feel his thrill.
Dead pulses leap; a rhythm fine,
A spirit melody divine,
Is coursing, like a toxic wine
That none but gods distill,
Through every particle of me,
For Love has heard the call
Of her whose soul alone could free
Him from his stupored thrall.

COMMITTEE SNUBBED If It's in the Sun You'll Hear From It

Went to Inspect Bubbling Fountains at Bartlett School

And Found That Contract Had Been Made — Just for That Committee Will Meet Tonight — Breezy Statement From Supt. Whitcomb

The committee on lands and buildings, Aldermen Toupin and Burns, Councilmen Berard, Royal and Whitcomb, went out on a tour of inspection yesterday forenoon. The most important number on the committee's program was a visit to the Bartlett school, where the committee was to witness a practical demonstration of bubbling fountains.

The gentlemen on the lands and buildings committee didn't stop to think that any other committee had anything to do with bubbling fountains but they were up when they got to the Bartlett school and learned that the school committee had taken the matter away from the lands and buildings department and had awarded the contract for the fountains to Mr. Blkby, principal of the Bartlett school, who has a patented fountain.

Mr. Toupin, chairman of the committee on lands and buildings, allowed that the school committee was a little late in coming to a meeting of the committee for tonight. If there isn't any fireworks at tonight's meeting it will be due to the weather.

After receiving the "throw down" TO MAKE A DRY SHAMPOO. Dry shampoos are all the rage now among society ladies and the more prominent stage beauties. Here is a formula much used in the east. It cleans, invigorates and stimulates the hair and scalp, while removing surplus oil, dust, dandruff, etc. Obtain a few well stocked drug stores six ounces of pulverized orris root, also obtain two ounces of yucca powder. Mix thoroughly and keep in a tight box or jar. Shake before using. Rub thoroughly over and through the hair, distributing with the fingers. Do this at night. Next morning comb and brush thoroughly until all trace of powder is removed. The results are a wonderful glossy, clean, soft and fluffy head of hair. Men—use it daily. Women—use it three times a week.

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at the Bartlett school, the committee decided to look over other public buildings including the Chelmsford Street hospital.

Supt. Whitcomb interviewed. As to the matter of drinking fountains, or bubblers as they are often called, Superintendent Whitcomb said this morning that the matter first received consideration in Lowell when Mr. Smith, then inspector of buildings, installed them in the Washington school in the summer of 1903.

Those placed in that school did not prove entirely satisfactory, and the matter was brought to the attention of the grammar masters early in the fall of the same year. The superintendent and most of the masters inspected such fountains in other cities, and finally in December, 1909, on the recommendation of a sub-committee of which Mr. Barry was chairman, voted to ask the school committee to ask the city council for such fountains.

In response to this request the school committee at its Dec. 1909, meeting asked the city council "to replace fountains in school houses with so-called sanitary drinking fountains so as to do away with the common drinking cups." No answer was received to this request.

A little later the legislature of 1909-10 enacted a law forbidding the use of common drinking cups in schools after October 1, 1910. This fact was called to the attention of the city council by the secretary of the school committee in letter of October 6, 1910, and early attention to the matter was asked for. Cups were then withdrawn from the schools, and since that time a few pupils have brought cups from home, and others have obtained water by putting their mouths to the faucet, or by using their hands.

In the meantime the committee on school houses, Dr. Lambert, chairman, gave much attention to the matter. Different fountains were inspected and tested, and on the recommendation of this committee the full board at a meeting in February, 1911, "urgently requested" the city council to take action for drinking fountains in schools. No fountains were put in, nor was any appropriation made for the purpose by the council.

Proper appliances for drinking are a great convenience in schools in winter, but in summer this need is of course much greater, and in the interests of the pupils the school committee took action at its meeting this week to supply the deficiency. The previous action and votes of the committee show that this would not have been done if the work had been entered upon by anybody else nor was there any wish or thought to forestall the action of the part of the committee on lands and buildings. On the contrary such action had been asked for at intervals for nearly a year and a half, and the fact that the committee on lands and buildings is now taking up the matter is an occasion for the heartiest commendation.

School Seats and Desks

Another matter, similar in some respects, may be of interest. For forty years there has been a difference of opinion between the school committee and the city council as to who should repair school seats and desks. The theory on which the two departments do business is that the lands and buildings committee is landlord and the school committee tenant. If a roof leaks it is obviously the landlord's duty to repair it; if a teacher's (movable) chair is broken the school committee cheerfully accepts the duty of replacing it, but the disposition of some other repairs or replacements is not so clear. The school committee has held, for instance, that fixed furniture was a part of the equipment of a school building which should not only be furnished by the city council, but should also be kept in repair by the same body. The council has taken a different view, with a result that furniture has often been left unrepared for when other repairs were made. In the last ten years, however, several superintendents of buildings have accepted service in this particular, and have put in repair the fixed furniture in fifty or more school rooms. In 1910 the matter was referred to the city collector, who ruled that either department might do the work, but with such leanings towards the city council that the lands and buildings committee accepted the duty, obtained an appropriation of \$1000 for the purpose, and had a lot of furniture put in excellent condition, to the great delight of teachers and pupils. This year, however, Mr. Dow's request for an appropriation for doing such work of this kind as may be necessary in 1911 was refused, and nothing of the sort can be done unless the school committee does it. Now, as was said before, the school committee has been trying to dodge this job for forty years at least, but if no one else will do it is evident that the committee will be forced to take it in hand. The furniture from long neglect, is much of it in very bad condition, and if the school committee does repair it the expense may be considerable, possibly more than would have been accepted without much complaint if it could have been done by the lands and buildings committee.

INSPECTING AWNINGS

Lieut. Martin Connors and Sergt. Hugh Maguire of the police department started out this morning on the annual tour of inspection of the awnings throughout the city. Armed with the measuring stick they measure the height of the awnings from the sidewalk. According to a city ordinance the awnings must be eight feet clear of the sidewalk.

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LOCAL NEWS

First-class work, Tobin's Printery. Try Lawler's for Printing, 29 Prescott Street & Shaw, milliners, 35 John St. A daughter was born today to Mr. and Mrs. Edmund J. Cheney.

Saturday is Quarter Day at The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank.

The Bouquet, correct millinery. Save money. Buy from us, 308 E. St. A baby boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. James Phelps, 249 Hale street, Saturday, March 25th.

Mrs. J. Tole, 607 Princeton street, is spending a two weeks' vacation with her daughter in Providence, R. I.

August Couty and George Gravel leave Monday evening for their future residence, Lake St. John, Normandine, Canada.

DEATHS

DEVINE—Philip Devine, an old and highly esteemed resident of this city and a devoted member of St. Peter's church, died yesterday afternoon at his home, 61 Chapel street. He leaves two daughters, Misses Catherine J. and Annie M., one son, John J. Devine, Esq., and three sisters, Mrs. James Maguire, Mrs. Patrick Crowe and Mrs. Dennis Teague. He was a member of St. Peter's Holy Name society.

MILES—Margaret Miles died yesterday morning at her home, 142 Fayette street.

SULLIVAN—Patrick J. Sullivan, a well known and highly respected resident of St. Patrick's parish, died this morning at his home, 20 North Franklin court. Besides his wife Margaret, he is survived by two daughters, Mary and Margaret B., five sons, James J., Michael F., John L., Patrick and Richard, also two brothers, James and Cornelius.

SMITH—Hugh Smith, a well known resident of St. Michael's parish, died this morning at his home, 3 Coburn street. Deceased was foreman of construction for the Boston & Northern R. R. and was highly thought of by both his employers and employees. He leaves a wife, Mary, three daughters, Veronica, Margaret and Catherine; a sister, Mrs. Mary Rowe; two brothers, John of New York and James in Ireland. Mr. Smith was a member of Div. 3, A. O. H.

PAPAS—Alex. Papas, aged 45 years, died today at the State hospital, Tewksbury. He leaves a wife. The remains were taken to the chapel of Undertakers J. P. O'Donnell & Sons.

FUNERALS

McALEER—The funeral of Michael McAleer took place this morning from his late home, 33 Chestnut street at 8:30 and was largely attended by relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church where a high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Dennis Sullivan, O. M. I. The choir, under the direction of Mrs. Hugh Walker sang the Gregorian mass, the solos being sustained

by Mr. Edward Shea and Mr. John Dalton. Mrs. Hugh Walker presided at the organ. Among the many beautiful floral tributes were: Pillow inscribed "Father," from the family; large standing cross inscribed "Asleep," from Rowan and Tighe families; wreath on base from Brussels winding room of the Pigeon-Carpet company; large wreath of roses and pinks inscribed on ribbon "Rest" from Mr. John Sullivan; wreath of lilies and roses, Mrs. McQuade, Mrs. Mary Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Webster, Miss Kittie Boyle and friend, Miss Margaret McDonough, Miss Mary Leary, Miss Mary Beaulieu; spray of roses and pinks, Catherine and Mary Fitzpatrick and family; large bouquet, Mr. McCabe.

The bearers were John McCullough, John Rogers, Patrick Quinn, John Webster, John Muller and Michael Minnehan. Interment was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Rev. Dennis Sullivan, O. M. I. read the committal prayers. Undertaker Peter H. Savage in charge.

WOODBURY—The funeral of Oscar Woodbury took place yesterday morning at 10 o'clock from his residence, 349 Gorham street. The services were conducted by Rev. Nathaniel W. Matthews, pastor of the First Primitive Methodist church. Among the floral tributes were, wreath inscribed, "My Son," from father; large pillow inscribed, "Our Brother," from brothers and sisters; wreath, J. C. Ayer Co.; the Merrimack Engraving Co., James Gorton; sprays, Knapp family, J. C. Lane and family, Mrs. Ellen Avery, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harriman, Alice Keenan, Albert West, George F. Stiles, Mrs. Johnson and daughter, Henry F. Carr, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Brown. Burial took place today at Northfield, Vt. The funeral arrangements will be in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

KOSZCZEW—The funeral of Stanislaw Koszcewa took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of his parents, 25 Front street. At 2:30 o'clock, services were conducted at Holy Trinity church, High street, by the pastor, Rev. Alexander Ogonski. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery and was in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

FUNERAL NOTICES

DEVINE—The funeral of the late Philip Devine will take place on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from his late home, 61 Chapel street. Services will be held at St. Peter's church at 3 o'clock. Funeral Director Thomas J. McDermott in charge.

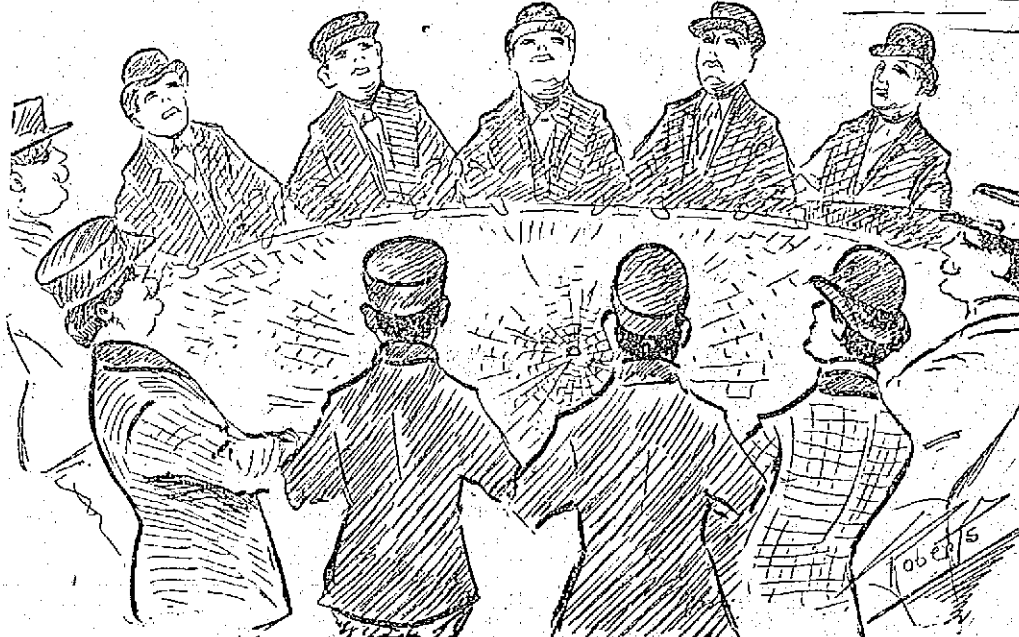
SULLIVAN—The funeral of Patrick J. Sullivan will take place Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from his home, 20 North Franklin court. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. C. H. Molloy & Sons in charge.

SMITH—The funeral of the late Hugh Smith will take place Monday morning from his home, 3 Coburn street. A mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church, the hour to be announced later. Undertakers J. P. O'Donnell & Sons in charge.

CAIDWELL—Died March 31st, at Yonkers, N. Y., George Bowers Caldwell, aged 47 years, 11 months and 26 days, formerly of this city. He is survived by his wife, Mary Fraser Caldwell, four children, Marion, Harold, Clara and Serris, and one brother, Fred Caldwell. Funeral services will be held at the First Trinitarian Cong. church, Dutton St., Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

NEGUS—The funeral of Oliver Negus will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the funeral home of Undertaker John A. Finnegan, 173 East Merrimack street and proceed to St. Patrick's cemetery where the burial will take place in the family lot under the direction of Undertaker John A. Finnegan.

PAYTON—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Payton will take place Saturday morning at 8:30 o'clock from her home, 64 Andrews street and proceed to the church of the Sacred Heart, where at 9 o'clock a funeral high mass of requiem will be sung. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Friends are kindly asked to omit sending flowers. The funeral arrangements and burial are under the direction of Undertaker John A. Finnegan.



It is important that everybody should know just how to jump into a life net with the least possible danger. The jump should be made so as to land in a sitting position and not with the feet straight downward.

COMMANDER GILMAN

Of Mass. Dept. G. A. R., will be Here April 19

The following letter, addressed to arrival. Sincerely yours in F. C. and L., John E. Gilman, Commander-in-chief. Mayor of Malden Mayor John F. Meehan is in receipt of a letter from Mayor George H. Fall of Malden in reply to an invitation extended Malden's chief executive to attend the celebration in this city on April 19th. Mayor Fall says he will have a number of engagements to fill about that time, but will strain a point to come to Lowell.

CITY HALL NOTES

The public schools will close this evening for the annual April vacation of one week. The vacation comes on the week following the first Saturday in April.

The Mayor's Signature Mayor Meehan has attached his signature to the order for \$1000 for moth work and also to an order for a hearing on the petition of the Boston & Maine railroad for permission to alter the location of tracks in Jackson street.

PASSION PLAY

LECTURE TO BE GIVEN NEXT SUNDAY EVENING A lecture on the Passion Play of Oberammergau, with thirty colored lantern slides, will be given by Miss Collins of Lawrence next Sunday afternoon.

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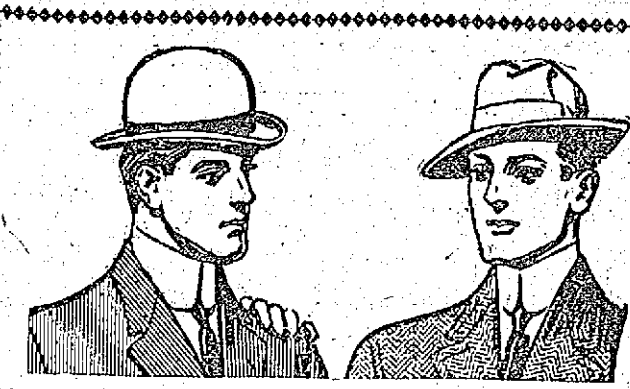
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EXTRA FIRE ESCAPES

Chief Hosmer Says Many Local Buildings are Without Them

He Urges the Instalment of the Sprinkler System — He Says Careful Inspection is Made of Fire Escapes and Openings in Sidewalks Covered by Grating — He Tells About the Water Pressure in Lowell

"Are there any fire traps in Lowell?" was the question asked Chief Hosmer of the fire department by a representative of The Sun this afternoon.

"I do not know of any fire traps," was the answer, "but there are several buildings in this city which are not properly equipped with fire escapes, means of exit, etc., and in case a fire got a good start before being discovered the people in the building would have considerable difficulty in making their escape. It is not within my jurisdiction, however, to dictate to owners of buildings what they should do; it is up to the state police. On different occasions I have notified the state police of buildings which I deemed were not properly equipped for the safety of life in case of fire."

Questioned relative to the law providing for fire escapes, Chief Hosmer said the size of a building is not taken into consideration but the number of employees in the building. He said that there were several buildings in Lowell which are equipped with fire escapes which are practically worthless in case of fire. He cited one instance where about two years ago a man was burned to death in a building despite the fact that there was a fire escape on the outside.

There are a number of brick buildings in Lowell where hundreds of people are employed where there are no

fire escapes, but he does not consider them fire traps, for in each of the buildings is a good sprinkler system and several means of exit in case of fire. In one factory building in the vicinity of Broadway there is a large number of people employed where there are no fire escapes, but there are several large exits with roomy stairways, an excellent sprinkler system and as soon as one of the sprinklers goes off it sounds an alarm from a fire alarm box nearby. This is the only building in the city in which the sprinkler system is directly connected with a box. In the majority of the other places where the sprinklers are used an automatic alarm is sounded in the nearest fire station.

Speaking about sprinklers, Chief Hosmer believes that they are the means of saving more property and lives than anything else. He said: "In buildings where the sprinklers are used as soon as a fire starts the seals on the sprinklers are melted by the heat and the water starts to spray around a large radius and as the heat radiates other sprinklers begin to operate. In many cases the sprinklers have extinguished the blaze without the assistance of the department but of course in the case of large fires it is not so, but the stream of water from the different pipes is sufficient to keep the flames from spreading until an alarm is sounded and the department arrives."

"It is surprising to me that more of the downtown stores are not equipped with sprinklers. There are a number of the big stores that are using the system, but there are many places without it. The people who have not yet adopted the sprinkler system, claim that occasionally the heat in the stores is sufficient to cause the sprinklers to operate and damage the stock. That is true, but if you look over the list of places where fires occurred during the past few years you will find that there have been comparatively few in buildings which have the system in use. Then again even if the stock is damaged by the over-heating of one of the sprinklers, the owner recovers insurance, but even if there was no insurance on the stock the damage suffered by water is very small when compared with loss by fire."

Speaking about fire escapes, Chief Hosmer said he had made it his business to have reported to him all fire escapes which are blocked up by boxes, barrels, used for flower boxes, etc., and he reports these cases to the police. He also has members of the protective department at different times during the year make a tour of the business section to ascertain if there are any openings in the sidewalks covered by gratings which are filled with paper and other rubbish which might cause a fire in case a lighted cigar stub or cigarette was carelessly thrown in it. Relative to the water pressure, Chief Hosmer said that with a few exceptions there was not a building in the city which could not be reached by a stream of water direct from a hydrant, but that with the steamer pumping the men could throw as many streams as would be required over the top of any building in the city, not excepting the storehouse of the Massachusetts mills in Bridge street. While the hydrant pressure is high, Chief Hosmer always uses one or more engines in case of a dangerous blaze.

INSPECTOR DEW

WINS LIBEL SUIT AGAINST DAILY CHRONICLE

LONDON, March 31.—The king's bench division awarded £200 damages to former Inspector Dew of Scotland Yard for satisfaction in the libel suit which he brought against the Daily Chronicle in connection with the Crippen murder case.

The alleged libel was contained in a cable despatch to the Chronicle from Quebec in which it was asserted that Dew had informed the Chronicle that Crippen had confessed and told him the whole story of the murder of his wife.

The engagement is announced of Mr. Charles Monette, a popular Centralville young man and also secretary of the Wampanoag club, to Miss Matilda Lambert.



ATTACK ON OLD SIXTH REGIMENT IN BALTIMORE

The rather remarkable picture accompanying this article was sent to Mayor John F. Meehan by William P. Gilmore of Salem Depot, N. H. Mr. Gilmore was a member of Co. D, Old Sixth regiment. Co. D was known as "Lowell City Guards." It was to this company that Ladd, Whitney and Taylor belonged, and William P. Gilmore was in the memorable march through Baltimore when they were killed. Capt. Booth was the last commander of Co. D in this city, and the company was disbanded under him in the 70's. William P. Gilmore, the man who sent the picture to Mayor Meehan, was 18 years old when he enlisted. He was mustered in April 22, '61, and discharged August 2, '61. Later he enlisted in Co. L, 3rd Massachusetts cavalry.

HARVARD STUDENTS INCENDIARY FIRE

Attacked Colored Waiter Who Had Shot Another

CAMBRIDGE, March 31.—Three Cambridge police officers rescued Charles Roachford, a colored waiter at Memorial hall, from the hands of a posse of several hundred infuriated Harvard students who had caught the negro a mile from the college grounds, after he had shot and probably fatally wounded another colored waiter, Heath Hughes, in the dining hall at the college this afternoon.

The police officers, attracted by the noise, arrived just in time to catch Roachford. They removed him to a local police station where he was charged with attempted murder. The shooting is said to have resulted from a dispute over some silverware.

JUSTICE O'GORMAN

May be Next U. S. Senator From New York

ALBANY, N. Y., March 31.—Supreme Court Justice James O'Gorman of New York will probably be the next senator from New York state, if the insurgent democrats in the assembly will accept him. Justice O'Gorman was announced as the organization candidate this morning upon the unexpected arrival from New York of Leader Murphy of Tammany. The insurgents resented the sudden selection of a candidate, whose name had not appeared on any of the eligible lists they had submitted to the regulars, but not so strongly as to cause a withdrawal of O'Gorman's candidacy. On the ground that they were not sufficiently familiar with O'Gorman's record to act intelligently, the insurgents brought about a postponement of a final caucus vote until 3 p. m. At that time they promised to be ready to give their decision and the organization leaders declare that Justice O'Gorman will be elected.

For this reason the joint ballot early this afternoon was perfunctory and the joint assembly adjourned after deciding to take another regular ballot later in the day, following the second caucus.

If the proposition advanced last night by William Barnes, Jr., chairman of the republican state committee, who asked the republican leaders to unite with the democratic insurgents in electing an independent democrat, had any support among the democrats today, it was inconspicuous.

Two measures aimed at liquor dealers were introduced at today's session, one presented by Rep. Frank A. Milvane of Providence, making it unlawful for saloons to furnish free lunches and the other, introduced by request, prohibiting the public advertising of liquor.

An extension of the powers of the railroad commission, so as to enable it to prosecute railroad companies for discrimination in rates is asked for in a bill presented by Rep. Frank Hamilton of Bristol, the republican house leader.

HE PAID \$17,000

For the Return of His Child

LAS VEGAS, New Mexico, March 31.—The baby of A. T. Rogers, a prominent lawyer of this city, was kidnapped a few days ago and held for ransom of \$17,000. The money was paid over by Rogers at midnight last night at a remote spot in the mountains surrounding this city and the child was returned to him.

STRUCK BY TRAIN

An Unknown Man Was Killed

BLACKSTONE, Mass., March 31.—A passenger express train running from Worcester to here struck and killed a man who was track walking here at 12:55. The train rounded a curve and hit the man. His male companion ran from the scene. Passengers on the New York train bound for Boston on the Midland line, due here just before one o'clock, saw the train strike and kill the man, who is not identified as yet.

CLOSING GAME

IN THE MOODY BRIDGE BOWLING LEAGUE

The Moody Bridge league's tournament will come to a close tonight, when the Druggists and Jewelers will meet on the Moody bridge alleys. As it is the Leaguers are ahead of the game, and winners of the trophy.

The members of the league will partake of a dainty banquet on April 20th. The affair will be held at the Richardson hotel, and Dr. George E. Caisse has been chosen to preside over the festivities, while many good speakers will be heard.

The Moody Bridge league was organized at the beginning of the season, and is composed of the following teams:

Perron Juniors, Capt. P. Bourque; Druggists, Capt. W. C. Caisse; Clerks, Capt. J. A. Proulx; Produce Men, Capt. Joseph Roussel; Mongeant's, Capt. J. B. LeBlond; Jewelers, Capt. J. Landry; Lodgers, Capt. C. Desautels and Solicitors, Capt. Arthur J. Lamblert.

The officers of the league are: President, Gustave Fortier; vice president, Omer Allard; secretary, Raoul H. Monier and treasurer, Archille Perron; arbitration board, F. A. Dubois, president; W. Caisse, Jr., and Z. J. B. LeBlond.

The prizes that will be distributed at the banquet will be: Championship, \$10; highest single string, \$5; highest team total, \$5; highest single individual string, \$3; highest individual average, gold fob. The committee on prizes is as follows: Joseph Landry, L. Doulay and A. Montmarquet.

ON MURDER CHARGE

Hearing in Police Court is Again Postponed

District Attorney Higgins Was Unable to Attend — Nicholas Paparos Who Did the Shooting is Still at Large—Hearing Fixed for Next Friday

The inability of District Attorney John J. Higgins to be present in Lowell today to conduct the preliminary examination of Michael Pachouras, charged with having murdered John Germainakos in a tenement in the block at 5 Brooks street on the night of March 16th, resulted in the postponement of the hearing until next Friday, at which time Judge Hadley said the case must go on. Pachouras was remanded to jail without bail.

THE GRAND JURY

To Take up Shaw Estate Matter

BOSTON, March 31.—The question whether the three trustees of the estate of the late Quincy Shaw are criminally liable in failing to disclose assets of the estate amounting to \$11,000,000 upon which back taxes amounting to \$492,000 were paid to the city last week, will be considered by the grand jury next week, according to a decision of District Attorney Pelletier today.

The three trustees are Quincy Shaw, Jr., Robert Harrick and Francis Welch.

AN EARTH SHOCK

Caused a Scare in Little Rock

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., March 31.—Little Rock was jarred by an earthquake this morning. Mirrors were shaken from walls, desks and chairs in offices rolled about and windows clattered.

THE REICHSTAG

Reject Armament Motion of Socialists

BERLIN, March 31.—The reichstag by a large majority today rejected the socialist motion calling upon the government to take "immediate steps leading to an international agreement concerning universal limitation of armaments and the abolition of the right of capture at sea."

ANNUAL RETREATS

AT FRENCH CHURCHES ATTRACT LARGE CONGREGATIONS

St. Joseph's church was well crowded last night by married men who are making their annual retreat. There was a larger crowd in attendance last evening than on any previous night, and the missionary expects as large, if not a larger gathering tonight.

St. Francis occupied the pulpit and delivered an eloquent sermon on "Race Suicide." He was listened to with great interest, and he closed his remarks by saying that large families will never starve, for Uncle Sam will be only too glad to help those who will help increase the population.

The service closed with the benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Rev. Fr. Baron, O. M. I., officiating.

The mission at St. Jean Baptiste church was also well attended, while the unmarried women of St. Louis' parish flocked to their little church in large numbers to listen to an eloquent sermon preached by Rev. Fr. Gaudreau, O. P., of Fall River.

BROWN "GRADS"

ATTEND ANNUAL CONVENTION OF TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 31.—A large number of Brown graduates who are now teaching in various parts of the country returned to their alma mater today on the occasion of the ninth annual convention of the Brown University Teachers' association. At the opening session this afternoon "The Relations Between Colleges and Secondary Schools" was discussed by President Fawcett, Charles Harper, principal of a Syracuse high school, Supt. of Schools Holmes of Westerly and Dean Melickjohn of Brown.

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JOHN E. REDMOND

Tells What Ireland Would be Under Home Rule

LONDON, March 31.—John E. Redmond, leader of the Irish parliamentary party, in a statement in the Daily Mail on "What Ireland Would be Like Under Home Rule" predicts that it would be very different from what the people anticipate. The existing political dissensions, he says, would be replaced by economic, municipal and educational questions, on which the lines of cleavage would be quite different from the present day lines of political cleavage.

Then, probably, says Mr. Redmond, new classes of men would enter the political field to become members of the Irish parliament. Those would come first from the ranks of the Irish gentry, cultivated men with a stake in the country, who heretofore had held aloof because they opposed the principle of home rule, but who would be a great acquisition to the political

life and with whom the question of religion would never arise.

In the second place they would be recruited from the ranks of the business and commercial classes owing to the industrial revival certain to follow the granting of home rule.

Mr. Redmond considers that the question of the nationalization of the railways would become important means to this end. With regard to the Protestant minority the Irish leader says he is ready to accept any safeguards consistent with ordinary democratic principles but is convinced that 12 months of home rule would lay all such begays forever.

Lastly, Mr. Redmond thought that the idea that a financial settlement just to both countries would be a serious difficulty, is quite unfounded. On the contrary he is convinced that an investigation will show that the argument founded on finance is strongest of all in favor of home rule.

SENATOR PAGE

Says Farmers Oppose Reciprocity

HYDE PARK, Vt., March 31.—In response to his invitation to the people of Vermont, issued through the press of the state, United States Senator Page of this town has received hundreds of letters giving the views of the writers on the proposed reciprocity agreement between the United States and Canada. In his invitation to the people to submit their personal conclusions and opinions to him, Senator Page said that if his action on the measure were to be determined by the editorial attitude of the papers of the state he should vote for the measure, but, on the other hand, should his action be determined by the letters he received from many of the farmers he would be forced to oppose the agreement.

Senator Page, in commenting on the nature of the responses to his letter to the people, said that the farmers were very largely opposed to reciprocity. The quarreling interests which represent a considerable investment in Vermont are divided, although the majority of the quarry owners seem to favor the agreement.

As a rule, the professional men, such as lawyers, doctors, teachers and clergymen, favor the agreement.

The senator declined to say whether he had reached a definite conclusion as to what his action on the measure would be. He explained that he did not consider it wise to make public his own opinions until there should be a final decision in the general assembly of individual opinions which are being received by him from the people of the state.

WOMAN WAS ALL ALONE IN HER HOUSE

WORCESTER, March 31.—Miss Ellen Kane, aged 55, of 481 Southbridge street, died in her home yesterday, with no one to give her help, after a various vein in her leg burst. She occupied the tenement alone, and while she was in bed the vein burst, and as she felt herself growing weak from loss of blood she made an effort to summon aid. She reached the door in time to cry out to a little girl who was passing and the girl notified neighbors, who found Miss Kane almost unconscious when they reached the house.

They called a doctor, but Miss Kane was dead before he arrived.

Medical Examiner Frederick H. Baker viewed the body and said death was due to natural causes.

AFTER-EFFECTS OF ACUTE FEVERS

Typhoid Left This Brooklyn Man a Chronic Invalid. It Was Not Until He Tried the Tonic Treatment That His Health Was Restored.

Many whose health has been wrecked by an attack of typhoid, scarlet or malarial fever or of the grip, will be interested in the manner in which one sufferer found relief from the condition to which the acute attack left him. Mr. D. A. Kephart, now living at No. 211 Richmond street, Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "About six years ago I had typhoid fever while working in a lumber camp near Altoona, Pa. The disease left my bowels in such a condition that the doctors told me I could not be cured. My bowels were inactive and bloated. I had to take strong laxatives all of the time but even that did not give me relief. My appetite was good but what I ate distressed me. I was dizzy and frequently would topple over while walking along the street."

"I was treated by several doctors and tried many kinds of medicines but nothing helped me until I tried Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I gave them a good trial with the result that my bowels became regular. My blood soon became in good condition and I have been well ever since when the health is wrecked by the attack of an acute disease differ in almost every case but the condition is one which calls emphatically for a tonic for the blood. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are the best medicine for this purpose for they act directly on the blood which they cleanse of all impurities."

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A FREE FIGHT

At Baseball Game in Atlanta

ATLANTA, Ga., March 31.—Erskine Brewster, the man with the "fog horn voice," distinguished himself at Ponce de Leon ball park yesterday by giving several New York Nationals a near-licking. Involved in the row were Manager McGraw, Mathewson, Moers, Bridwell and others.

The squabble broke out of remarks to the players by Brewster the day before. Brewster was practicing with the Atlanta team yesterday when McGraw attempted to remonstrate with him. While they were talking, Mathewson, who is alleged to be a quiet, unassuming fellow, grabbed Brewster from behind and the latter, by quick twist, sent Mathewson over his head sprawling. Myers came running up but got a stiff blow in the face. Other members of the New York squad became involved in the fracas and Brewster was getting a good drubbing when some of the Atlanta players made their appearance with bats in their hands. The trouble quickly subsided.

BADLY INJURED

STAGING GAVE WAY AND MAN FELL TO THE GROUND

ARLINGTON, March 31.—Salvatore Buciveri of 9 Emmet street, South Boston, a carpenter working on a house being erected on Myrtle street, stepped from a third story window yesterday afternoon on a staging. The staging gave way and he was pitched headlong to the ground, striking on a pile of wood and was impaled on a short piece of wood, which entered his stomach.

He was rushed to the police station and attended by Dr. Daniel J. Blakey, who recommended his immediate removal to the Massachusetts General hospital. He was put into the ambulance and just as it was about to start, word was received that another accident had happened on Broadway.

A man had been struck by a Heights trolley car. The ambulance was rushed to the place designated and the man hurried to the police station. He proved to be Michael Sullivan of 78 Decatur street, Arlington. It was found that he had a possible concussion of the brain, a badly injured hip and probable internal injuries.

Mr. Sullivan was crossing the street and evidently did not hear the car coming until it was too late. He was knocked down by the fender and rendered unconscious. He is married and about 45 years of age.

BODY IDENTIFIED

SEAMAN LOST HIS LIFE WHEN BARGE WENT DOWN

NANTUCKET, March 31.—The identity of the seaman who lost his life soon after leaving the sinking barge Stonington was established today by the widow of Captain Dawes, the commander of the barge. Mrs. Dawes notified the Nantucket authorities that the hitherto unidentified man was Richard R. Halstead of Mobile, Ala. Halstead's body is in the receiving vault of the Nantucket cemetery and the town will endeavor to locate the relatives.

WENT ASHORE

TUG SHAWANEE HAD THREE BARGES IN TOW

FISHERS ISLAND, N. Y., March 31.—The tug Shawanee, bound for New York for an eastern port with three barges in tow went ashore on the north side of the island near the United States military reservation last night. The tug keeling over on her beams end on the falling tide this morning was in the condition. The Scott Wrecking Co. of New London has located one of the two barges which were ashore. The barge was not damaged.

FOREIGN MISSIONS

WOMEN HAVE SUCCEEDED IN RAISING NEARLY \$40,000,000

NEW YORK, March 31.—With the announcement that a grand total of \$369,366 has been contributed since the work 50 years ago nearly \$40,000,000 women's national foreign missionary society, began its series of semi-centennial celebrations throughout the country, the week's meetings in New York were concluded last night at a mass meeting which overflowed Carnegie hall. Since women first organized their efforts at foreign missionary service presented to the battleship Utah bearing the picture of Brigham Young which was passed with applause.

President Mary E. Wolley of Mount Holyoke college who presided proposed a resolution "resenting as an insult to womanhood the existence of the Mormon body in our land" and requesting the government to decline the silver service presented to the battleship Utah bearing the picture of Brigham Young which was passed with applause.

Other resolutions condemned the opium treaty between China and England, praying for the suppression of the opium traffic, endorsing President Taft's efforts in behalf of international peace and offering encouragement to temperance workers throughout the world.

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New spring models of R. & G., Warners, P. N., Niris and C. B., made of fine quality coutil, satin and lace top with draw string; extensive skirt extension and 6 hose supporters. Regular price \$2.00, \$1.50 pair

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Fownes real Kid Gloves, 2-clasp Eugenie and Dagmar. A smart and dressy glove, in all shades to match the new Spring Suits at \$1.50 a pair

Fownes "Special" French Kid gloves, 2-clasp, in black sewn with white and white sewn with black \$1.50 and \$2 pair

Bacme Chamblis Gloves in natural and white, 1-clasp at \$1.00 a pair

Special—16 button, double tip, pure silk Gloves in white, black, sky and pink, a \$1.00 value, at 69c a pair

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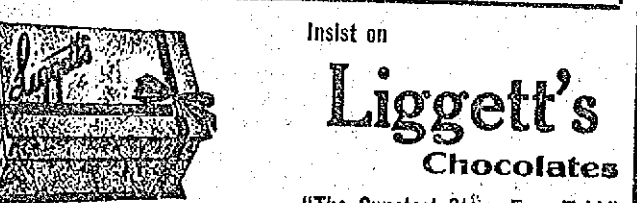
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Nothing short of a "fat head" on my part can prevent my methods from meeting with your approval. The imaginary idea that you can't get along without me may some future day obsess me or my help, and when it does I know how speedily you will quit me. The foolish notion that big profits are better in the long run than short profits—that two, five or ten dollars tacked on the price of a suit is not noticed and doesn't make much difference—may one day control me. That day I know will mark my doom. But as long as I give you all that I can give to you—all that my methods and organization permit me to give you—more than my methods permit rather than less when there is any question, so long will you come back to me.

I tell you I can undersell any clothing concern in the land. They haven't a leg to stand on when it comes to comparisons. They never can sell you the suit I sell at my prices till they do business my way, or invent a system that beats mine. When I tell you I buy goods a dollar a yard less than the international houses, I tell you that's \$3.25 a suit on the wholesale cost, and from \$5.00 to \$6.50 on the retail price of a suit. The mills must have someone to take the surplus, the sample ends, the cancellations and over-orders—that someone can't be the fellow who is a regular customer at the regular prices.

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**Alderman Jodoin Performed Feat
In Fire Station**

**The Different Fire Houses in
the City Were Inspected—
Many Requests for Alterations
and Repairs Were Made**

Not because he was surrounded by flames or crazed by the cry of fire, but for the purpose of demonstrating how easy it is to land safely and soundly in a life net, Alderman Joseph H. Jodoin, Jr., made a "baby" jump for glory at the West Sixth street fire station yesterday afternoon. Alderman Jodoin is chairman of the

fire department committee and the committee went out yesterday afternoon on a tour of inspection of the firehouses and apparatus of the city. Mr. Jodoin performed his daring feat under cover at the West Sixth street station when he jumped from the ladder to the life net, a distance of six feet. He landed on his feet in the net

and then on the shoulders of a stalwart fireman. The fireman went down and so did the alderman. The latter should have landed in a sitting position, but he didn't know that until the fireman whose dignity had received a wallop enlightened him. There is no telling how many firemen would have gone to the mat if the alderman had leaped from a more dizzy height. The first stop of the trip was made at the corner of Sanborn and Durant streets, a new fire alarm box having been asked for this section. From here the party covered the houses in the following order: Fourth street house, West Sixth street, Race street, Fletcher street, Pawtucketville house, Branch street, Westford street, Lincoln street, Gorham street, Lawrence street, Central street, High street, Warren street and Palmer street. The tour concluded shortly before 6 o'clock. At the Pawtucketville house, the ladders were taken out and the men of the company climbed them. Many desires for alterations and repairs were made known. The Central street crew want separate sleeping rooms. At the Fletcher, Branch and High street houses, requests for automobile apparatus were made. In a number of places the committee found that much apparatus needed repairing.

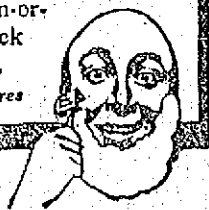
LIGHTHOUSE BLOWN AWAY
STONINGTON, Conn., March 31.—During the storm of Wednesday night and yesterday morning, the lighthouse at the west end of the breakwater was blown down and washed away. The keeper was in the lighthouse at the east end of the breakwater when the other light went down.

HAVERHILL MAN

PLACED UNDER ARREST IN WILLIMANTIC, CONN.

WILLIMANTIC, Conn., March 31.—Alleging that he attempted to cash a worthless check drawn on the Chapin National bank of Springfield here yesterday, Gilbert L. Lowe, who says his home is in Haverhill, Mass., was arrested by the police last night. The police say that he is wanted in Concord, N. H., and Chicopee, Mass., for similar transactions.

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BELIEVED DEAD

Woman Paid Visit to Friends

NEW YORK, March 31.—Mrs. Mary Mueller, mourned as dead, appeared in the flesh yesterday to relatives and friends who had attended her supposed funeral two weeks ago. One of her first acts was to instruct an attorney to have her will, to have been offered for probate today, stricken from the surrogate's calendar. Investigation at the Kings County hospital, where Mrs. Mueller was a patient until yesterday, showed that Mrs. Margaret Mueller, another patient, died there March 14. A mistake in recording her first name led to the error of notifying Mrs. Mary Mueller's friends of her supposed death. A woman friend, named as executrix in the will, viewed the remains and commented Mrs. Mueller's changed appearance, but gave orders for the funeral.

MRS. RICHARDS DEAD
BOSTON, March 31.—Mrs. Ellen H. Richards, professor of water and air analysis at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and one of the foremost women scientists of the western hemisphere, died at her home, 32 Elliot street, Jamaica Plain, shortly after 9 o'clock last evening after a short illness, from angina pectoris.

Money deposited this week in The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank begins to draw interest Saturday.

SCHULTZ GUILTY

SAID TO HAVE TAUGHT SMALL BOYS TO STEAL

NEW YORK, March 31.—Herman Schultz, whose vocation was being a janitor, and whose avocation was teaching small boys to steal, was convicted of burglary and larceny yesterday and remanded for sentence. Nine boys confessed to being his pupils and are now in the house of refuge. Twenty thousand dollars worth of loot was recovered in Schultz's home. One boy confessed to 26 burglaries; another said he stole 305 bicycles. Both worked under Schultz's direction.

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A RISKY FLIGHT

WAS TAKEN BY COUPLE AT AUGUSTA, GA.

AUGUSTA, Ga., March 31.—In a high wind which uprooted trees, Aviator Frank Coffyn, accompanied by his young wife, made a flight of more than 25 miles from Augusta to Alton, S. C., in 41 minutes yesterday to keep a breakfast appointment with friends. No woman in America, under weather conditions of any sort, has ever made a flight of this length.

It was found impossible to take a straight course because of the direction of the wind.

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AUTO AMBULANCES

Asked for by the Board of Charities

Plan Urged at Meeting of the Committee on Appropriations Last Night — The Committee Thinks That the Ambulance Service Should be Turned Over to the Police—The Gypsy Moth Question Also Discussed

The committee on appropriations, Alderman Gallagher, chairman, met in the mayor's reception room at city hall last night and listened patiently to long arguments and discussions having to do with auto ambulances and gypsy and brown-tail moths. The moths are still in the trees and the ambulance proposition is in the air. The board of charities was divided against itself on

the ambulance question and it was finally agreed that the best thing to do would be to turn the ambulance service over to the police as the police are better qualified to handle refractory subjects.

The discussion of gypsy and brown-tail moths did not occupy a very great stretch of the committee's time. L. Howard Worthley, superintendent of moths, extermination in the state, was on hand to answer all questions and to give such information as was sought after by the committee. Mr. Worthley seemed to know the moth business from the ground up.

First business before the meeting was the request of the moth department for \$5000, with which to continue the moth war.

Alderman Gallagher asked if there was any way to rid the trees in neighboring towns of the pests. He said it seemed labor in vain to wage war against the moths in this city if nothing was being done in neighboring towns. He said that if the moths were numerous in neighboring towns, Lowell would be sure of reinfestation.

Mr. Worthley said that most of the state's appropriations were spent on residential districts and the moths that come to Lowell in showers come from the surrounding area and not from the residential districts. He said, however, that the state would be perfectly willing to assist in stopping the infestation from

the towns. He said that the brown-tail moth was controlled by the wind, but that such is not the case with the gypsy moth. The gypsy moth is the harder of the two to fight for he makes his nest and spends his winter in any hole or corner that affords him shelter. Mr. Worthley said that if Lowell cleans up and other infestation occurs the state will guarantee to assist in another clean up.

Mr. Flanagan asked if the state did all the work in Chelmsford. Mr. Worthley said that one-twenty-fifth of one per cent. of the town's valuation was appropriated by the state. The town of Chelmsford has appropriated \$1707.58 for moth work, this year.

In reply to questions by Mr. Flanagan, Mr. Worthley said that Lowell had more than her share of moths. He said the condition was due to the fact that the appropriations for moth work in this city have been too small. There is never money enough appropriated to follow up the work properly.

"If you make the necessary appropriation," said Mr. Worthley, "and follow the work up properly in the course of three years you would be in a position to make a very substantial reduction in your appropriation." Mr. Flanagan asked Mr. Worthley what the result would be in the event of the city refusing to appropriate the necessary money for moth work.

"I don't want you to look upon this in the form of a threat," said Mr. Worthley, "but if the moth work was being neglected here we would have to take the matter up with the governor. The state would then step in and do the work and you would have to pay the freight."

He said if the city found it necessary to spend beyond its legal liability the state would be willing to step in and help out. Other questions were answered by Mr. Worthley and he was finally excused.

Board of Charities

The next question was that of automobile ambulances. All members of the charity board were present. Supt. Conley and Clerk Gallagher were also present. Chairman Gallagher explained that those of the members in favor of the auto ambulances would first be heard and they would be followed by the remonstrants.

Commissioner Burns was the first speaker. It was Mr. Burns who first offered the suggestion for auto ambulances to the board and later the board asked for \$3000 with which to purchase them.

Mr. Burns cited the cities where auto ambulances are in use. He also said that horses could not give the best service in either warm or very cold weather. He urged that the proposed service could do three times the work of the horse-drawn ambulances. Lives could be saved, and therefore the matter could not be looked at purely as one of dollars and cents. He said that a figure of \$1000, which the city is now paying could be given, and a trip to any part of the city would be made in five minutes.

Commissioner Ricard said he was in favor of the auto ambulance. Last week, he said, he was getting ready to go to Boston and he had but four minutes to catch a train. He mentioned this instance, he said, to illustrate how quick and satisfactory is auto service. In regard to cost and maintenance, he said, he thought it would be less than our present system.

Dr. James J. McCarty, chairman of the board of charities, spoke in favor of auto ambulances, particularly the electric auto ambulance. He said: It was not necessary to employ an expert to drive an electric machine and he thought it would be cheaper all around. He said, the speed would not be as great, perhaps, as other automobiles, but there is a guaranteed speed of 16 miles and that can be increased to 20 miles an hour. He thought that was speed enough for city streets. He said that the trouble experienced with the fire department's auto protective was due, in his opinion, to over-sneering.

Dr. McCarty had a blue print of an auto ambulance that he thought would serve the purpose very well in Lowell. The blue print showed an electric ambulance of the type used at the Newton hospital.

Dr. McCarty also used a blackboard on which he figured comparative costs of auto ambulances and horse-drawn vehicles. He showed that the cost of the horse-drawn vehicle per annum would be \$3650, while with the electric auto it would be \$1030, a saving of \$2620 yearly. In 10 years' time there would be a saving on interest of \$2620. The whole saving for a decade would be \$26,200. He subtracted \$2000 yearly from this for surgeons, and this in 10 years would amount to \$20,000. This would mean an actual saving of \$26,200. However, he did not believe surgeons would be needed. To run the auto it would cost \$550 for two years; for a similar period with the horse-drawn vehicle it would cost \$7000.

The city's business amounts to about \$1,000,000 a year, he said. He further said that there is much waste in the transaction of the business, and had conclusively shown that one sub-division of the charity department could be run more cheaply than at the present time. Last year the same board showed the board of health how it could effect a very good saving in building a contagious hospital.

Not long ago a man was fatally shot in Broadway. The auto patrol and the horse-drawn ambulance were both there. The man who was suffering was carried to the hospital in a bumpy horse-drawn vehicle, while the alleged assailant was whisked to the station in a smoothly running, luxuriously fitted up, \$6000 auto patrol. He urged a consolidation of the ambulance service with the police department, that the automobile ambulance, if secured, should be kept at the police station. He said it would cost but \$12 a week to run the electric ambulance.

Mr. Flanagan wanted to know how far the new ambulance could be run without recharging. Dr. McCarty said that it would, he believed, run 40 miles.

Mr. Flanagan asked if the idea would be to keep the ambulance in the police station barn. Dr. McCarty said it was. Mr. Flanagan said he had talked with the superintendent of police about it and had been told there is no room for such a machine. "I am sorry," said the chairman, "but you have," said the chairman, "look for yourself."

In answer to Mr. Fulton, Dr. McCarty said that many citizens used the electric vehicles.

Mr. Coupe, who has opposed the automobile ambulance idea since its inception, spoke.

"I am opposed to the ambulance still, notwithstanding all these figures," he said. "It is a well known fact that there must be two ambulances. This whole thing has been changed over. They propose to use the police patrol and a horse ambulance. And they talk about doing away with surgeons. That is a step backwards. They want to get one automobile and then they will have to get another one after that. The horse ambulance was taking the man who was shot in Brooks street, two



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weeks ago, to the hospital when the auto patrol got there.

"If these automobiles are so good and can be run so cheaply, why isn't that all the business men are discarding theirs and are going back to horses? This thing of showing what the electric ambulances can do, they know it's a bluff. When Dr. McCarty got up here tonight it was the first time that I had ever heard of it. They know they'll have to get two ambulances."

"They may keep down the expenses the first year, but after the year is up they will want to get more money or else. They may get the autos run for \$12 a week, but I don't believe it."

"There have been no complaints of the service we are getting. I don't believe there's a doctor in Lowell who would complain of the service we're

getting. We don't know what we will get, but we know what we have got."

"Have you ever heard complaints that a surgeon was not with the ambulance?" asked Mr. Flanagan.

"No," I haven't."

He went on to say that Dr. McCarty had shown no savings for the city, because he had not furnished figures for two ambulances.

Mr. Howe said the proposition which had been advanced was an entirely new one. He could not, he said, see his way clear to vote for ambulances. He did not believe that the extra expense which was bound to come would give any greater efficiency than is now given. Most of the ambulance calls are to the mills in the heart of the city and he doubted if autos could be driven through congested streets much faster than the horse-driven vehicles. He believed one ambulance only, to be out of the question. It would be no improvement in the service to wait until the one auto ambulance came back from a call before it responded to another one. He would, he said, object to turning the autos over to any private firm.

Mr. Howe didn't believe the general public would ever "stand for" the abolition of ambulance surgeons, however competent the chauffeur might be in first aid cases, they could never take the place of surgeons.

Over 100 accident calls last year found the ambulance without any surgeon. The service would never be satisfactory, he said, until a surgeon was paid to stay with the ambulance all of the time.

He said he had always contended that the proper place for the ambulance was at the police station. The police board would tell the charity board to attend to its own business if it was suggested that the police patrol be used in accident cases.

In rebuttal Mr. Burns said that the offer to take care of the automobiles was made by a thoroughly reputable

man. Mr. Ricard said he had heard about the electric machine before Dr. McCarty had spoken of it. Dr. McCarty said he understood that there are two or three men who used to drive the horse-drawn patrol who are still employed at the police station. These men could be made use of if the electric ambulance were placed at the police station. He thought the mayor would offer no opposition to signing an order to relocate the ambulance at the police station, and if he did the city council had a right to pass an order over his veto.

"Did the other members of the charity board see the blue prints of the electric vehicle?" asked Mr. Flanagan.

Messrs. Ricard and Burns said they had. Messrs. Coupe and Howe had not.

"Wouldn't it have been just as well to have come up here and asked the appropriations committee to turn the

whole ambulance service over to the police department?" asked Mr. Coupe.

"I meant no offence to you and Mr. Howe when I didn't show you the blue prints," retorted Dr. McCarty.

"Why not turn the matter over to the police department and let them look after the expense?" said Mr. Coupe.

At 12:15 o'clock the committee adjourned to Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

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Of Small Wares, Toilet Articles and Jewelry are now in progress here—hundreds of little things that are in constant use every day of the year are marked during this sale at prices that will surprise you. It is a good time to lay by a season's supply, for prices such as these are not common every day event. See Window Display.

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New Neckwear

The handsomest pieces of Neckwear, all new, fashionable and dressy are now showing at our counter. Just the kinds that fashion demands—just the kinds that add so materially to the beauty of the Spring gown. These get special mention:

Real Irish Crochet Bows and Jabots at..... 25c
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Real Irish Crochet Dutch Collars at..... 50c
Plaid Windsor Ties for High School Girls at..... 25c

New Easter Suits

You can hardly afford to buy your new Easter suit until you have seen the large variety of exclusive styles here, try them on, see the perfect fit, note the superior excellence of material and tailoring and mark the moderate prices.

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\$15, \$16.50, \$18.50, \$20, \$25 up to \$65

Light, medium and dark gray suits are particularly featured in sizes up to 55.

New Easter Coats

Every indication points to this season being a splendid coat season, and planning for this, we are showing three times as many styles as in any season past. Full length coats are most popular, in plain cloths and mixtures. Grays, tans, gold and corn are the prevailing colors, and for trimmings, high colored silks, braids and fancy buttons are extensively used and are an important feature in the dressy appearance of the new garments.

There is a coat here to please every young miss and every woman in Lowell, all attractively and moderately priced, at

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Are more popular than ever before and the styles are more becoming and attractive than have ever been seen in this department. Messaline and foulard silks are the most favored and the color range is one to please every fancy.

Messaline Dresses—Patterns are mostly in stripes with waist trimmed with silk in some contrasting color, king's blue and green being largely used, or the waist may have the new beaded yoke or all-over front of hand embroidery with beads; skirts have a bias band piped with bright color silk to match waist. Kimono sleeves on most, with high or low neck..... \$14.98, \$16.50, \$18.00 and \$21.00

Foulard Dresses—All the popular colors and designs, kimono waist effect, ribbon belt, lace yoke and sleeves, trimmings of buttons and silk piping in contrasting colors. Skirts are in new style with wide band..... \$14.98 to \$22.00



Splendid Showing of New Hats

The smartest styles in this city are now being shown in our millinery department. All the favorite shapes, the Helmet, the Turban, the Napoleon, may be seen and admired. These for street wear come in all the popular straw braids in the prevailing fashionable colors and are trimmed in the cleverest ways with velvets, beaded ornaments, wings, showers of flowers and plumes and very moderately priced. For dress wear we show appropriate styles for every requirement in hair braids, leg horns and tugs, in either turbans or wide brims, very effectively trimmed. You are sure of seeing the handsomest hats in Lowell at our store. Your special attention is called to a description of a few popular priced hats which are just samples of scores of others:

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Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Hats—In the new Helmet hat, in rough braid; black and colors..... \$1.98

Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Hats—In plain colors, of rough braid, trimming with messaline or combinations to match..... \$2.98

Untrimmed Hats—All the latest shapes, 69c, 98c, \$1.49 and \$1.98

Flowers and Foliage—Of all kinds, 15c, 19c and 25c

\$2.98 Beautiful Hat of Lustrous Ramie Braid—In black with large braid ornaments in king's blue, supporting two quill ribs. The brim edge is bound with black velvet; black and colors.

\$3.98 Rolled Brim Sailor—Of fancy mixed braid. Trimmed with flowers and foliage in black and colors.

\$4.98 Large and Attractive Shape—With a deep, upturned front brim. Trimmed with uncurled ostrich and velvet ribbon; black and colors.

SHIRT WAISTS

Today we bring to your notice one of the season's newest fancies in Shirt Waists. The sheer voiles and marquisettes, hand embroidered in washable colors, made in the new kimono style with high or Dutch neck, are among the classy, dressy waists for spring and summer. We show a large line ranging in price from 98c to \$12.00, with an abundant variety of exclusive designs and patterns—only one or two of a kind in all the better numbers.

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Waist of Cotton Voile—Front and back of wide and narrow tucks; collar and cuffs finished with colored bands in light blue, lavender or black, tucks stitched in color to match, front ornamented with hand embroidered buttons, at..... \$1.98

Waist of Fine Cotton Voile—Dutch collar and three-quarter sleeves, kimono style, embroidered at neck and on cuffs, in light blue or white; a very dressy waist at..... \$4.98

Waist of Cotton Voile—Dutch neck and kimono sleeves of all-over embroidery, finished with scallop edge in black, coral, violet or king's blue, set in panel of embroidery, V shape on sleeve, a very stylish number at..... \$5.98

Waist of Fine Voile—Embroidered front and back in black and white, kimono sleeves, 3-4 lengths, lace trimmed and embroidered, lace trimmed collar; one of the noblest styles in the line, at \$7.50

Waist of Marquisette—Front, back and sleeves embroidered in pendant design in black and heliotrope, collar yoke and cuffs of plain color marquisette with hemstitching to match; one of the exclusive designs at..... \$10.98

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Bordered Voiles—A yard wide, white ground, colored designs..... 19c
Nearsilk Foulards—Light and medium patterns..... 19c
Imported Organdies—Beautiful floral designs..... 50c
Marquisettes—Extra fine with colored stripes..... 25c
French Voiles—Plain and self stripes..... 19c
Irish Linette—A new cloth, floral patterns, stripes and dots..... 19c
Indo Silk—In all plain colors..... 25c
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Silk de Luxe—Very sheer with floral designs..... 25c
Embroidered Batiste—All white with mercerized figures..... 50c
Dupionne Silk—Large line of plain colors..... 25c
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Fancy Madras—For waists, colored stripes..... 19c
Imported White Crepe..... 39c
Fancy Stripe Voiles—With colored stripes..... 25c
Satin Stripe Marquisettes—All white, very fine for waists, 50c

Dress Trimmings

All the newest effects in dress garniture are now showing at our counter in a variety so large, in patterns so choice, in prices so reasonable that there is no necessity for anyone to go outside the city when seeking trimmings for a new gown. Both in novelty and staple lines this department is up to the minute in style and fashion. Beaded novelties are in greatest demand, being shown in bands, motifs and all-overs with the three and four inch bands the most popular. Wide, light weight braids in black and white or all black are in great favor for tailored gowns and for costumes of silk cloth or chiffon. Tilet and Brussels net bands are good, embroidered in plain or oriental color effects in which the darning stitch is frequently used.

Wide Embroidered Bands—In all shades at 50c, 69c, 98c, \$1.49
Perceat and Satin Beaded Bands—Narrow and wide, at 25c, 49c, 98c to \$1.98

Coral Turquoise and Oriental Beaded Bands—All widths, 50c and 98c

Wide Braids—All the new patterns, plain and fancy, two to five inches..... 39c, 69c, 98c and \$1.39

Garnitures—Beaded and with bugle ends, all the new colorings, 50c, 98c, \$1.49, \$2.25

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The New Dress Goods

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New Tans and Browns—In granite, twills, serges, prunellas and French serges at..... 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25

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Pajamas—With button or frog fastenings, in checked nankeen, blue or mercerized..... \$1.00 and \$1.50

THE TRUST FIGHT

Atty. General Has New Plans

WASHINGTON, March 31.—A new weapon is being forged from the government's experiences in dealing with monopolies of trade and combinations of capital which, it is learned yesterday, Attorney General Wickham hopes to present to congress in the belief that it will be incorporated into the laws now on the statute books. Practically the same thing took place with the New Orleans association last winter.

Nevertheless, the department of justice regards with some concern the concentration of banking capital in New York.

HARVARD MAN

FOR THE EXCHANGE OF PROFESSORS

CAMBRIDGE, March 31.—Harvard university, not content with arrangements for a regular exchange of professors with some of the leading universities of Europe, including Berlin and Sorbonne, has arranged for an annual exchange of teachers with four of the best known smaller colleges in this country—Colorado college, Colorado Springs, Colo.; Grinnell college, Grinnell, Ia.; Knox college, Galesburg, Ill.; and Beloit college, Beloit, Wis. Every year Harvard is to send a professor, who will spend an equal part of

half an academic year with each of the four colleges mentioned, and during that time will give to the students of these institutions such regular instruction in their courses as may be arranged by the faculties of the different colleges.

The salary of this professor will be paid by Harvard, but the other colleges will provide his traveling expenses and maintenance while he is away from Cambridge. The professor will be selected every year by Harvard, with the approval of the other colleges. The arrangement will go into effect in the next college year.

In return, each of the four colleges will be expected to send every year one of its younger instructors to Cambridge, and during half of the academic year he will be appointed an assistant in one of Harvard's courses; he will teach and will be paid as though he were a regular member of the Harvard faculty. He will not be required to give more than one-third of his time to teaching, and may devote the rest of it to graduate and research work in any department of Harvard university.

Although no official announcement has been made, it is understood that the first Harvard professor to take part in this exchange will be Prof. Albert Bushnell Hart, of the department of history. He is one of the leading historians in the country. He comes from the edge of the middle west. He was born in 1841 in Clarksville, Pa. A little town close to the Ohio line. He graduated from Harvard college in 1860 in the class with ex-President Theodore Roosevelt.

He has received the honorary degree of LL. D. from Richmond, Va. in 1902,

CHILD LABOR BILL

Was Killed in the House Yesterday

BOSTON, March 31.—After a heated debate, in which several members of the house participated, the bill to raise the age at which minors may be employed in manufacturing and mercantile establishments from 14 to 16 years, was defeated yesterday by a vote of 77 for to 123 against it.

The labor members of the house opposed the bill from the standpoint it would deprive many minors in the mill towns of a livelihood and that the time was not ripe for taking the boys and girls from the mills when their parents were only making \$5 a week. Those in favor of the measure urged the minors should be allowed to attend school. Representative Underwood of Somerset asserted he would put the children out on the Bridgewater farm before he would see them housed within the four walls of the mills. Those opposing the bill said they had seen boys in the mills declare they were 14 years of age when they were only 10 and 11 years, because they wanted to work and their families needed their support.

THEATRE DARK

While Officers Ejected an Offender

BOSTON, March 31.—In order to eject a man who was talking and shaking his finger at Mrs. Leslie Carter during the fourth act of her play at the Majestic theatre last night it was necessary for the actress to call for the curtain and have the theatre darkened while the officers took the man out, that the fighting between the man and the officers during the ejection process might not utterly demoralize the audience.

The man gave his name as Daniel Edwards, and asked that Governor Pothier of Rhode Island be notified of his arrest. He said his home was in Woonsocket. He was locked at the La-grange street station.

DOUBLE TRAGEDY

Witnessed by Passengers on Train

NEW YORK, March 31.—Passengers arriving early last evening by a New York Central train had a horrifying introduction to a crime when a sudden application of the emergency brakes brought the train almost opposite a double tragedy which was being enacted in Park avenue. A well-dressed man was seen to whip a revolver from his pocket, shoot a strikingly pretty blonde and turn the weapon upon himself.

The engineer, who was the first to see the couple, threw on his brakes and shouted to the young man on the street: "Hold on! Don't shoot her, don't shoot!"

The man took deliberate aim at the woman as she started to run from him. One shot entered her mouth and another lodged in her breast. After a momentary contemplation of the crime he placed the weapon at his own temple, fired and sank to the street by the woman's side.

The man was dead when the police arrived and the woman has little chance of recovery. A card was found in the man's pocket bearing the name of Jacob Shortz. There was no clue to the woman's identity. She was about 25 years old.

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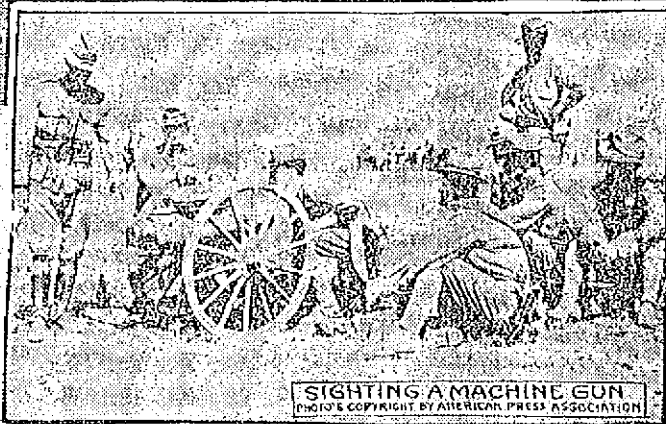
In a Battle Between the Federals and the Rebels



MEMBERS 5th ARTILLERY RIDING MULES



TROOPERS MAKING BEDS



SIGHTING A MACHINE GUN

Report Was Received From a Federal Officer—
Town of San Rafael Said to Have Been
Destroyed — Women and Children Among
Victims of the Engagement

TUCSON, Ariz., March 31.—That a thousand men have been killed on both sides in a battle between federals and rebels in the vicinity of San Rafael and Ures, Mexico, since Monday is reported by a federal officer in Nogales, Sonora, according to a special to a local paper from Nogales. The officer is said to have given this report to fellow officers upon receipt of news from Hermosillo.

The destruction of a big flour mill at San Rafael by dynamite is said to have been followed by a fire which completely destroyed the town. It is said many women and children are numbered among the victims of the engagement fought while the town was burning.

The rebels in the vicinity of Ures are said to number 1500 and are commanded by Juan Garcia, Juan Cabrera and Col. Gandarilla. Col. Giron, who was in command of the insurgents at La Colorada, Col. Villareal, Col. Mangua, and Captain Alize. The recruits are said to be flocking to the rebel ranks from the surrounding country.

The original force of federals under Col. Ojeda and Col. Barron numbered 800, including 200 Yaquis. Three hundred men are said to have been impressed at Hermosillo and sent to the front.

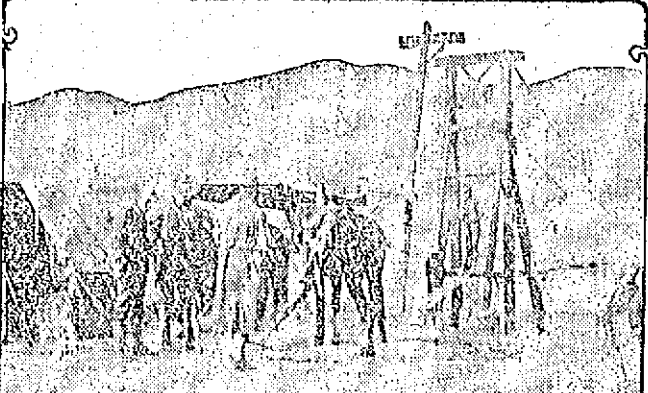
STUBBORN BATTLE
FOUGHT AROUND LITTLE TOWN OF SANTA BARBARA

EL PASO, March 31.—A stubbornly fought battle between 300 insurgents and 200 federals has raged around the little town of Santa Barbara, southwest of the city of Chihuahua, since Wednesday morning, according to a telegram received here last night from Parral. Both sides have sent for reinforcements.

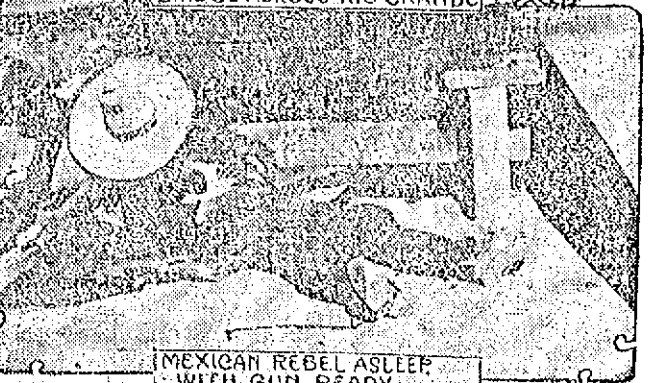
Wednesday morning, according to the Parral despatch, the insurgents attacked and took Santa Barbara but before they could strengthen its defense, the federals rallied and attempted to retake the place.

A body of 25 rurales charged through the insurgent lines and succeeded in reaching the municipal building but were cut off from the main federal body. They took refuge in the building but the telegram does not reveal their fate.

Finding himself outnumbered, Col. Arzamez, in command of the federal troops, sent to Parral for reinforcements.



U.S. SOLDIERS GUARDING FOOT BRIDGE ACROSS RIO GRANDE



MEXICAN REBEL ASLEEP WITH GUN READY

percentage of killed and wounded is high. Officers of the insurgent junta here, while declaring they hope earnestly for peace, again today stated that there is little prospect for immediate cessation of hostilities.

Gonzales Garza, insurgent secretary of state, says the army in the field will have the final vote on any peace negotiations and that he does not believe they will vote to accept any terms.

LIVELY INTEREST
TAKEN IN THE REPORTED PEACE PROPOSALS

MEXICO CITY, March 31.—Reports emanating from points in the United States that the Mexican government intends to send a peace commission to treat with a similar commission representing the rebels, have aroused a lively interest but no government officer has been found who would admit the existence of any arrangement of this character. The government has gone far in making concessions but the belief is growing that President Diaz is not yet willing to recognize Madero and his followers to the extent where he shall discuss with them terms of peace. If any peace negotiations are to be conducted it is believed that the initiative must come from the rebels; and according to statements made in the United States, that is not the case.

As far as the war itself is concerned, there has been little change in the last five days. The rebels are largely

in control of the rural regions of Chihuahua, Sonora and parts of Zacatecas, while throughout the country detachments of rebels, bandits in some cases, appear here and there, keeping a certain portion of the Mexican army engaged.

The larger towns are all still in the control of the government. In the capital, great interest is shown in the president's message which will be read to congress the evening of April 1. It is reported it will be a most remarkable document, inasmuch as it will contain recommendations for a revision of the electoral laws, a revision of the system of taxation, greater freedom in state elections and curtailment of the powers of the federal politicians.

Speculation is lively as to the identity of the probable minister of the interior, the only post now vacant in the new cabinet.

HEAVY FIGHTING

IS REPORTED AS HAVING TAKEN PLACE AT URES

EL PASO, March 31.—Although reports received here indicate heavy fighting at Ures, Sonora, representa-

tives of both factions declare the report that 1,000 men had been killed on each side is without foundation. Representatives of the insurgent junta here in close touch with the war zone, declare the insurgents force which might have engaged numbers but 1,200 and that not more than 2,000 men were engaged on both sides.

The statement from Tucson that the town of San Rafael has been destroyed by fire is discredited as the town consists almost entirely of adobe houses with mud roofs, which are practically fireproof. It is believed that the loss has been heavy, however.

Petition of the Boston and Maine Railroad for alteration of tracks upon and across Jackson street in the City of Lowell.

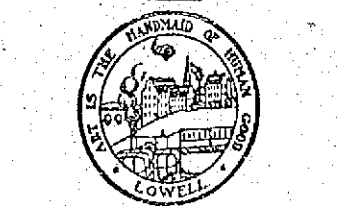
To the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Lowell, County of Middlesex, Massachusetts: Respectfully represents your Petitioner, the Boston and Maine Railroad, as lessee of the Boston and Lowell Railroad, that it desires the altering of the side track now maintained in the City of Lowell, running into the coal shed of the Appleton Mills, as shown by a plan attached hereto and filed herewith, the heavy shaded white lines being the proposed side track as altered;

And it respectfully requests in compliance with Section 261 of Part 1 of Chapter 46B of the Acts of 1906, approval in writing of your honorable board to the construction of said track.

BOSTON AND MAINE RAILROAD,

By Edgar J. Rich and Thornton Alexander, Its Attorneys,

Boston, March 27, 1911.



CITY OF LOWELL

In Board of Aldermen, on the petition of the Boston and Maine Railroad, as lessee of the Boston and Lowell Railroad, by Edgar J. Rich and Thornton Alexander, its attorneys, for permission to alter the location of the side track now maintained upon and across Jackson street at grade in the City of Lowell, running into the coal shed of the Appleton Mills, as shown on plan attached to petition.

ORDERED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Lowell, assembled, as follows: That on the petition of the Boston and Maine Railroad, as lessee of the Boston and Lowell Railroad, that it desires the altering of the side track now maintained upon and across Jackson Street at grade in the City of Lowell, running into the coal shed of the Appleton Mills, as shown on plan attached to petition and filed therewith, a public hearing be given by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen at their room, City Hall, Tuesday evening, April 18, 1911, at eight o'clock, and that all parties interested and who desire to be heard in the matter may have due notice of the time and place of said hearing, a copy of said petition and of this order be published in the Lowell Courier-Citizen and The Lowell Sun and upon motion to be fourteen days, at least, before the time assigned for said hearing.

In Board of Aldermen, March 28, 1911. Read and adopted.

GIRARD P. PADMAN, City Clerk.

Approved, JOHN P. MEEHAN, Mayor.

A true copy. Attest: GIRARD P. PADMAN, City Clerk.

D. A. R. CONGRESS

ORDERS ISSUED BY COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF

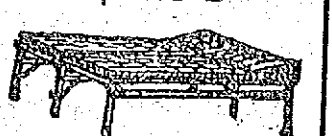
WASHINGTON, March 31.—The continental congress of the D. A. R. which meets here in April will be formally received by President and Mrs. Taft at the White House, Wednesday afternoon, April 12, and along with other members of the organization and of the Sons of the American Revolution by Mrs. Matthew Scott, president general of the D. A. R. on Monday evening, April 17.

In announcing these arrangements the program committee today added that on Saturday evening, April 15, the Memorial Continental Hall will be opened for inspection by the daughters and their friends, that the bishop of Washington has invited them to attend the Sunday afternoon Easter service and that Tuesday evening April 18 has been reserved for the meetings of the state delegations.

Upward of 1200 delegates are expected at the congress.

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LIVELY INTEREST
TAKEN IN THE REPORTED PEACE PROPOSALS

MEXICO CITY, March 31.—Reports emanating from points in the United States that the Mexican government intends to send a peace commission to treat with a similar commission representing the rebels, have aroused a lively interest but no government officer has been found who would admit the existence of any arrangement of this character. The government has gone far in making concessions but the belief is growing that President Diaz is not yet willing to recognize Madero and his followers to the extent where he shall discuss with them terms of peace. If any peace negotiations are to be conducted it is believed that the initiative must come from the rebels; and according to statements made in the United States, that is not the case.

As far as the war itself is concerned, there has been little change in the last five days. The rebels are largely

in control of the rural regions of Chihuahua, Sonora and parts of Zacatecas, while throughout the country detachments of rebels, bandits in some cases, appear here and there, keeping a certain portion of the Mexican army engaged.

The larger towns are all still in the control of the government. In the capital, great interest is shown in the president's message which will be read to congress the evening of April 1. It is reported it will be a most remarkable document, inasmuch as it will contain recommendations for a revision of the electoral laws, a revision of the system of taxation, greater freedom in state elections and curtailment of the powers of the federal politicians.

Speculation is lively as to the identity of the probable minister of the interior, the only post now vacant in the new cabinet.

HEAVY FIGHTING

IS REPORTED AS HAVING TAKEN PLACE AT URES

EL PASO, March 31.—Although reports received here indicate heavy fighting at Ures, Sonora, representa-

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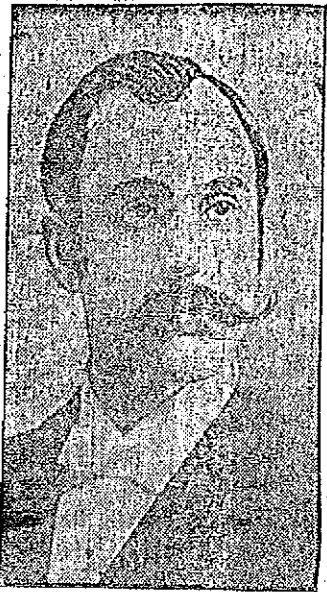
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DENTISTS' MEETING

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Societies of Lowell, Lawrence and Haverhill Held Union Session

The fifth annual union meeting of the Lowell, Lawrence and Haverhill Dental societies which was held in this city yesterday, proved very interesting and the main feature of it was the talk on "Pyorrhea and Alveolitis," delivered in the evening by Timothy Leary, A. M. M. D., professor of pathology and bacteriology at Tufts' College Dental school.

There were many dentists present, and the meeting opened at the New American house at 1 o'clock. Dr. W. H. Peplin of this city occupying the chair. After a brief meeting, lunch was served followed by clinic exhibitions

which were held in rooms 2 and 22. The clinics continued till 4 o'clock and were as follows:

- 1—Dr. F. A. Mackinnon and Dr. J. H. Preston, Haverhill. "Gold Inlays, Etc."
- 2—Dr. E. E. Kinney, Lowell. "Casting Demonstrations."
- 3—Dr. L. A. Haffner, Lawrence. "Possibilities in Orthodontia after the plastic Operation for Cleft-Palate."
- 4—Dr. F. A. M. Burke, Haverhill. "Administration of Ethyl Chloride."
- 5—Dr. G. W. Bonnyville, Lowell. "Gold Inlays Impression Method."
- 6—Dr. H. E. Wales, Haverhill. "Demonstration lower dentures of Watts Metal."
- 7—Dr. T. J. Donovan, Lawrence. "Acetate Inlays."
- 8—Dr. D. J. McCree, Haverhill. "Administration of Somnifform."
- 9—Dr. A. W. Burnham, Lowell. "Ornamental Ivory Bridges and Specimens of Ancient Dentistry."
- 10—Dr. C. A. Frank, Lawrence. "A Simple Device for Regulating Single Teeth."
- 11—Dr. J. H. Preston, Haverhill. "Re-plantation."

An interesting public meeting was held in high school hall at 4.30 o'clock and was largely attended by teachers of public schools and parents of the pupils, who listened to an interesting talk on "The Care of Children's Teeth in the Interest of Public Health," by George A. Bates, A. M. D. M. D., professor of histology at the central school of Tufts college.

Immediately after this meeting the delegates proceeded to the New American house where at 5.30 o'clock a delightful banquet was served. The event proved a very pleasant and appropriate closing feature of the meeting. William H. Peplin of this city, presided over the festivities. The meal was followed by a musical program rendered by the Starbird orchestra, and by a talk on "Pyorrhea and Alveolitis," by Dr. Leary. Following the latter's talk, was a general discussion of his subject and also of Professor Bates' lecture of the afternoon.

The union dental committee is made up of the following named: Lawrence—Dr. Charles A. French, Dr. Arthur T. Mickey and Dr. Frank A. Leary. Haverhill—Dr. H. Stansfield, Dr. G. E. Mitchell and Dr. J. B. Leonard. Lowell—Dr. W. H. Peplin, Pres., Dr. Hugh Walker, treasurer, and Dr. C. E. Snyder, secretary. Among those present at the meeting were: Haverhill—John H. Preston, D. J. McCreel, G. E. Mitchell, Fred A. Mackinnon, James J. McVey, Alfred W. Nash, J. B. Leonard, L. E. LeGros, John Z. Ray, I. M. Luce, Fred N. Ray, Gen. N. Bunker, H. E. Wales, John S. King, Lawrence—William Singleton, William H. Henshaw, John N. Thomson, I. A. Hojjar, Charles A. Frank, N. B.

Russell, Stanley G. Needles, C. W. Partridge, Frank A. Leary, Fred W. Schmale, William J. Murphy, Arthur Perout, Matthew F. Carney, Timothy J. Donovan, Edward M. Lynch, F. W. Bavington, Robert Farquar. Boston—J. J. Lockwood, Daniel J. Cashman, H. W. Bennett, F. M. Feltman, George A. Bates, Timothy Leary, W. H. Towne. Lowell—Edwin B. Kinney, H. E. Davis, S. R. Waller, E. A. Kent, A. J. Gagnon, Hugh Walker, J. V. Peplin, John J. Walsh, J. P. Kearney, M. D., N. O. Provencier, Arthur K. Whitcomb, William H. Peplin, David D. Snyder, Frederick W. Barnes, Charles B. Snyder, Charles F. Harris, Alexander S. MacLeod, Walter E. Knapp, George H. Johnston, V. E. Darling, N. B. Phillips, Lawrence Cummings, G. W. Bonnyville.

There were also present John E. Keefe of Exeter, N. H., H. Stansfield and O. M. Terrien of Andover, George P. Marlon of Nashua, N. H., and Mr. Sanborn of Saugus.

At High School Dr. George A. Bates was welcomed by Supt. A. K. Whitcomb in behalf of the schools of Lowell, and said that the next step, after medical inspections in the schools, is dental inspection. Soon or later it is bound to come, because it is an essential thing.

The meeting was presided over by Dr. W. H. Peplin of this city, who said in part that the association wishes to have a free dental dispensary established here, for the benefit of the school children, and the one thing needed now in order to establish the work, is a suitable place. He hoped that the school board would provide suitable quarters, in the near future. Dr. Bates was next introduced by the chairman of the meeting and he presented his subject as an economic problem.

He exhibited the importance of good teeth from the standpoint of the digestive processes, and the importance of a clean mouth. In maintaining a healthy condition of the body, it is a mistake, he said, to suppose that candy is injurious to the teeth. Sugar, as such, has no effect whatever on the teeth. The difficulty comes when sugar or starch are taken into an unclean mouth. The germs in the mouth have the effect of splitting the molecules of sugar, and lactic acid results. This acid holes in the teeth, the germs get in, and the teeth are destroyed.

Following the destruction of the teeth, there is lack of proper mastication of food, with disastrous results to the general health.

"It is a duty that we owe to the country, to see to it that the parents are educated, and that the teeth of the children are cared for."

THE BOY SCOUTS

Movement Gets Start at Public Hearing

The Boy Scouts of the Elliot church and the North Chelmsford Congregational church visited city hall in a body yesterday afternoon to attend a public hearing on the Boy Scout movement. The hearing was presided over by Rev. B. Victor Bigelow and were attended by their attractive khaki uniforms. The meeting was attended by representatives of various schools and churches including Coates H. Demery, pastor of the Greek Orthodox church.

Mayor Meehan presided, and the principal speaker was Arthur Astor Carey of Waltham, a member of the national executive council who spoke on "The Boy Scout Movement."

The speaker said that the value of the whole movement very largely depends upon what we expend. We will get out of it just what we put into it. If we take it as a pleasurable diversion then a digression of that sort it will amount to. If we put something more serious into it, as is being done in England today, then we shall get more solid benefits from it.

The revival of the spirit of chivalry is arrived at in the movement, the question of developing personal honor; these are the main points in the movement which underlies the progress of the Boy Scouts.

This nation is very largely a commercial one, he said, and the shortcomings of commercial nations are represented here. A desire to establish the feeling of old knighthood in the hearts and minds of the boys is the root of the entire movement.

He read the "Scout's Oath," not an oath in the ordinary sense, but an affirmation to obey God, his country and his best self, and to help others. Scout law was also read upon, the main points of this were read. If scout law is not followed, if he tells a falsehood or does not obey orders given to him he may be deprived of his standing as a scout. He must never be a snob; he must accept the other man as he finds him and make the best of it. He must be courteous and can accept no reward for such courtesy.

He must be kind to all animals and can kill one only when it is necessary to do so to secure food. If a scout swears a cup of cold water is poured down his sleeve by other scouts. A Boy Scout will sing and whistle under all circumstances.

The salute consists of putting the thumb over the little finger with three fingers to the air. It symbolizes the three points of the oath. Whenever the salute is given it means something serious. The emblem represents what is usually called fleur-de-lis. But it is called in the ritual of the order, "The Sign of the North," a sign taken from the mariner's compass. This also indicates the three points in the scout law.

Grades of Scouts There are three grades of scouts. Tenderfoot, Second class and First class. The requirements of the three classes were pointed out by Mr. Carey. After the boy has been a tenderfoot one month he can apply for membership as a second class scout. If he is admitted he will have learned elementary cooking, and something of swimming and out-door life. When a second class scout brings into the tenderfoot class a boy fully equipped to enter it then he can enter the first class.

While there are three general classes there are altogether about 40 different tests which may be applied. A boy may pass the fireman's test, or the farmer's test. The boy must be prepared to do certain things when the opportunity presents itself.

After the age of 18 a boy can become an assistant scout master and when he has reached the age of 21 he can become a scout master. Remarks were made by Rev. George C. Wright and Mayor Meehan after which a squad of boys from the Elliot church, while an expedition to North Chelmsford showed how to give first aid to a drowning man and to a fractured elbow.

Mayor Meehan agreed to act as head



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The boys of the Y. M. C. A. had as their guests last evening the boys of the freshmen and sophomore classes of the high school at a symposium on the subject, "Choosing a Life Work."

F. A. Woodward of the high school presided and in presenting the different speakers spoke briefly on the importance of choosing a life work for its value and helpfulness to the community.

Han, Frederick A. Fisher, associate judge of police court, spoke on the opportunities of a legal profession and also the need of an immense amount of study and training before a start should be made.

Dr. G. M. Randall was the second speaker and after emphasizing the need of many years of training as well as study, he discouraged any young man from taking up this work unless he was willing to pay the great price required. He placed the profession on an even higher plane than any other.

In closing he said: "In the healing of bodies he has opportunities for healing souls which never come to any

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Melvin B. Smith, the well known engineer, explained his profession in an attractive manner.

Henry A. Smith, formerly chairman of the board of trade, spoke from a business man's standpoint.

All the speakers illustrated their remarks with stories of men of both local and national reputation. Mr. Melvin B. Smith paid a high tribute to Lowell's great engineer, the late J. B. Francis, who had a national reputation when he died.

The purpose of the gathering was to urge upon the boys the need of getting the best educational equipment that it was within their power to get. Refreshments were served at the close of the addresses.

Is Thought to Have Been Lost

COPENHAGEN, March 31.—Grave fears are entertained for Capt. Elmar Mikkelsen and Engineer Iversen, who, after being rescued on the coast of East Greenland last year, left their party to search for traces of the lost explorer Erichsen. An expedition will be sent to Shannon Island, where provisions were deposited, in hope of finding them there.



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CHICAGO, March 31.—Just to show the government authorities how futile is their attempt to stop the work of the "Black Hand" murderers and extorters of money in Chicago, somebody slipped into the federal building yesterday, escaped the watchful eyes of the numerous special agents in the building and deposited a harmless "bomb" within a few feet of the chambers of Judge Landis' court on the sixth floor.

The murderous appearing parcel consisted of a big shotgun shell which had been emptied and filled with a substance that looked like hardened mudilage.

Charles Dewoddy, chief special agent for the government, who is investigating the "Black Hand" outrages in Chicago, used his knife on its outer coating and finally uncovered the mudilage. "I don't know why it was placed there," said Mr. Dewoddy. "It may have been a joke or possibly a warning."

CHICAGO PASTOR

Objects to Collecting Pew Rent

CHICAGO, March 31.—The question of renting church pews stands between a Chicago clergyman and his acceptance of the pastorate of Metropolitan tabernacle, London, where Rev. Charles Spurgeon preached. Rev. A. C. Dixon, pastor of Moody church, has returned home after spending two months in England. Just before he sailed deacons of the Metropolitan tabernacle notified him that the church had extended a unanimous call.

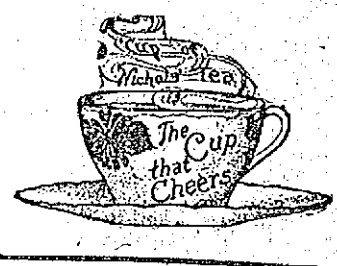
"There's an insuperable obstacle," said Mr. Dixon. "You'll have to quit collecting pew rent."

The deacons pointed out that Spurgeon collected pew rent for years and paid all the bills himself.

"I'd rather have no salary than the pew rent," the Chicago clergyman allowed.

"It's a great church—one of the greatest churches in the world," said Dr. Dixon last night. "If the pew renting is stopped I must give the call serious consideration."

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ANNUAL MEETING-FAREWELL PARTY

Of Vesper Country Club Was Tendered Rev. A. P. Wedge and Family

The annual meeting of the Vesper Country club was held at Tynge Island last evening with a large gathering of members. Dinner was served from 5.30 to 7.30 o'clock, Hibbard's orchestra

A farewell reception was given last night by the Worthen Street Baptist church to the retiring pastor, Rev. A. P. Wedge and his family. The members of the choir, who are



COL. A. M. CHADWICK President



REV. A. P. WEDGE

furnishing a pleasing program during the dinner.

After the dinner Col. A. M. Chadwick called the business meeting to order. The report of the treasurer, Arthur J. Murkland, showed the club to be in a prosperous condition. Secretary Andrew G. Swapp's report was a resume of the events of the year and reported a number of permanent improvements in the club property. The following were elected as directors for the ensuing year: A. M. Chadwick, A. J. Murkland, A. G. Swapp, Harry G. Pollard, Fred P. Marble, Perry D. Thompson, Joseph Peabody, William G. Brown and John K. Whittier. Messrs. Wallace P. Butterfield and James Thorpe were chosen as auditors.

A vote of thanks was tendered Supt. Clough and his wife and the announcement that they would remain another year was received with applause.

The work of the executive committee also came in for commendation. There was some informal discussion as to the need of a new bungalow and garage and the executive committee was instructed to consider the matter and report at a later date.

During the evening Mr. J. G. Hill made a feeling reference to the loss the club had sustained in the death of Harry E. Shaw, who had served so efficiently on the house committee. Mr. Swapp also paid a tribute to the memory of other well known members who have passed on during the year.

JOAQUIN MILLER

THE AGED POET HAS FULLY RECOVERED

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—Joaquin Miller, the aged "poet of the Sierras" who early in the month was given up by the doctors, has now almost fully recovered. He has returned to his home on the heights overlooking San Francisco bay. He took with him his wife, from whom he had lived apart for ten years, and henceforth she will make her home with him, as well as his daughter Juanita, who for the last two years has been a student of art in New York city.

JAP ARCHITECTS

TO STUDY NAVAL CONSTRUCTION IN ENGLAND

VICTORIA, B. C., March 31.—Five Japanese naval architects, enroute to England to study naval construction, arrived here last night on the steamer Empress of Japan. They are to be attached to the Vickers-Maxim & Sons shipyards during the construction of the 28,000 ton battleship being built for Japan which will have for its armament ten 14-inch guns.

The Japanese government, it is said, has in view the construction of three similar dreadnaughts in Japan.

THE BIG SERIES

Between the Philadelphia Teams

PHILADELPHIA, March 31.—The professional baseball season in Philadelphia will be opened this afternoon when the two major league clubs of this city will begin their annual series of games for the local championship. Today's game will be played on the American league grounds and tomorrow will be on the grounds of the National club. The series will consist of nine games. The Americans will start the games with the same men that won the world's championship last fall while several of the players who figured in the famous Cincinnati deal will be in the batting order of the Nationals. Coombs for the Americans and Moore for the Nationals are scheduled to do the pitching.

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Announcement is also made of the appointment of Dr. John Warren as Harvard university marshal to succeed Prof. Morgan, deceased. Dr. Warren is assistant professor of anatomy at the medical school.

THE OPERA HOUSE

There is to be no performance by the stock company at the Opera House today, as the date is given up to Cyril Scott in "The Lottery Man." The stock company will resume its engagement again tomorrow, giving a matinee and evening performance of "The Lottery Man." The bill to be given by the Thompson-Flynn players for next week will be a dramatization of the popular novel, "In the Bishop's Carriage," a play that has had a wide measure of success and been one of the popular stock-bills in all the large cities, and a play of strong dramatic scenes and situations. One of the principal characters of this drama is that of "Nance Olden," a child of the slums, who has been taught by criminal associates to become a female "rattle," and who is reformed by the efforts of "William Latimer," a man who has devoted his life to the reform of criminals. Miss Whitehouse, will be seen as "Nance" in next week's bill, while Stanley Forrest, will play "Tom Dorgan," a character entirely different than anything that he has so far played here and one that gives Mr. Stanley an opportunity of demonstrating his versatility. There are several handsome sets required for the staging of this play, sets that are now in preparation and will be up to the usual excellent standard of productions made by this company. As usual, the first of the daily matinees will be given on Tuesday, when a souvenir photograph of some member of the company will be given to every lady holding a reserved seat ticket for that performance. Seats for all performances of "In the Bishop's Carriage" are now on sale.—Adv.

"THE LOTTERY MAN"

After one has seen "The Lottery Man" it can easily be understood why the stage is running to comedies. The Messrs. Shubert produced this comedy early last fall, brought it to New York after a brief road tour and it has remained on Broadway, at the Bijou theatre, for practically the entire season. Cyril Scott, who used to play in musical comedy and later was starred in several well known dramatic successes, is the "lottery man" in question. He is surrounded by an excellent cast which includes Helen Lowell, Janet Beecher, Louise Galloway, Robert MacKay, Ethel Winthrop, Mary Leslie Mayo, Wallace Sharp, Harry S. Hadfield. The comedy, which is by Rida Johnson Young will be seen for the first time in this city at the Opera House tonight.

The principal figure in the play is a newspaper reporter, Jack Wright. He is hard pressed for immediate cash and appeals to his chief, Foxy Dayton, owner of the paper, to help him out. Dayton makes a bet with Wright, who loses all of it on the stock market. As security he has pledged to turn in to Dayton one of the biggest "scoops" the paper has ever known. So Wright proceeds to "make good." He announces a lottery with himself as the prize. "But," says the editor, the newspaper owner, "a lottery is against the law." "The law says," explains Wright, "that you cannot give away a capital prize. In our case the prize will give itself away."

The first day the paper makes the announcement thousands of old maids rush to the office. Wright is eager to proceed with the scheme as money is literally rolling in. Meantime he falls in love with Helen Heyer and the agony he suffers when he explains the first woman he meets on the street may claim him as her husband, may be inferred. The plot is entirely original and is worked out in Mrs. Young's most entertaining style. The New York papers fairly raved over the bright situations. The fact that the comedy remained in New York for so long a time is one of its best recommendations.—Adv.

SEATS FOR MADAME X ON SALE
The advance sale of seats for the engagement here next Wednesday, April 5th, matinee and night, of "Madame X," began at the box office this morning at 9 o'clock. Telephone orders are suspended for this engagement and the rule of no more than ten seats to one person will be enforced.

The extraordinary success which has greeted Madame X in America, where at the present time three companies are playing the sensational French drama to capacity audiences nightly, indicates a return of the public tastes to the

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style of plays which were in demand twenty years ago when Fanny Davenport and Clara Morris were at the height of their careers. In definiteness of construction, however, the Edison drama is a marked advance upon the plays of Sardou and Dumas as the latter were devised solely to produce thrills without rhyme or reason, while Madame X teaches a lesson, driven home with stinging force, of the purifying influence of mother love. The original New York and Boston company will present Madame X here and Henry W. Savage's name is sufficient guarantee of the worth of the attraction.—Adv.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

The concluding performances of James A. Heron's beautiful play "Shore Acres" will be given tomorrow and those who have not witnessed it as presented by the Donald Meek stock company should avail themselves of the final opportunity. Mr. Meek was never seen to better advantage than in the character of Nathaniel Berry and in portraying the part he plays closely by the playwright's own conception of the character. The play is exquisitely staged, great regard being given to the detail. Next week the Donald Meek stock company with Severin Deboy will present one of the greatest of American plays, "Strongheart," Robert Edeson's greatest success which has scored a tremendous hit all over the country. "Strongheart" has been played here but once before when Mr. Edeson presented it for one performance, and hence is comparatively new to Lowell. It deals with the life of a full-blooded Indian who has been sent to college to learn the ways of civilization and is strongly dramatic in parts though admitting of much fine comedy and a thrilling football game. The character of "Strongheart" will be played by Mr. Deboy who has played it before with great success being particularly fitted by build, voice and manner to portray the character of a stalwart Indian. Donald Meek after playing a variety of roles, returns to his original comedy work in "Strongheart" playing the part of "Billy," the funny fellow of the college. Miss Estelle is cast in a congenial role and an augmented company fills in the cast. The play will be elaborately staged.—Adv.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Only a few performances remain in which Lamont and his performing Australian Cockatoos will appear at the Merrimack Square theatre. This novel act has amused thousands of Lowell people, especially the children, and judging from the expressions of opinion from the older folk it had been as entertaining as any vaudeville act seen on a local stage this season. Another number that has shared in the honors of the week is that put on by the Pete Lawrence Trio, decidedly clever young people with a line of entertainment that is sure to drive away the blues. The Gould Sisters, character change artists, have no superiors in their line, and Dick Mansfield, "The Man From Australia," has some new and original offerings that are exceptionally good. Emma Churchill, soloist, has pleased others, and is sure to please you. The daylight motion picture, alone, warrant a visit to this theatre. As a special attraction at the sacred concert on Sunday afternoon and evening the management takes pleasure in announcing the appearance of John J. Quigley, America's famous "Newsboy Tenor." In a brace of songs which includes the latest success, "In the Garden of My Heart." Other first-class numbers will also be given. There is always something going on at the Merrimack Square, from 1:30 to 10:30 p. m. daily.—Adv.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC
A new program was presented at this house yesterday and included some new novelties in the vaudeville acts. Dow and Dow are a pair of Hebrew comedians that make things merry while they are on the stage in their line of songs and stories. A pretty aerial act is given by the Geers with tricks on the flying rings that are out of the ordinary. Chas. Calder & Co. appear in a funny comedy sketch called "A Financial Mistake."—Adv.

COLONIAL THEATRE

The bill for the last half of the week is very cleverly arranged. Philip & Clayton made a decided hit last night with their new chatter songs and dances. A positive feature act from start to finish. The original Mark Downs, high class black faced comedian, brings the house down with his farcical and droll stories. The rest of the bill includes other acts and 4 reels of pictures. Our motion picture show is positively the latest and finest shown in this city. A comfortable orchestra seat for 10c. Sacred concert Sunday. Amateurs every Tuesday night.—Adv.

BEVERIDGE IN CANADA

OTPAWA, Ont., March 31.—Ex-Sen. Albert J. Beveridge of Indiana, one of the staunch supporters of reciprocity with Canada in the United States senate, arrived unheralded in Ottawa yesterday accompanied by Mrs. Beveridge and his private secretary. He visited the parliament buildings and saw several government officials, but refused to be interviewed.

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PALMER STREET

LEFT AISLE

A HAPPY FAMILY

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Dineen Boast of Eleven Children

Michael Dineen, the popular conductor on the Broadway-Hovey Square line of the Boston & Northern, a happy man today, for last night's 11th child was christened at St. Patrick's rectory by Rev. Fr. Curtin. The child was named Francis and his sponsors were William Hogan and Miss Catherine O'Hearn.

Mr. Dineen says he does not believe in suicide and he is showing good proofs of it, too. Of his eleven children, ten are boys, which is certainly a record that the happy father can boast of.

The father of this large family is a Lowell boy. He was born in this city some 50 years ago and was educated in the public schools, being a graduate of the old Mann school in Broadway. On

September 8, 1891, he was married to Miss Catherine Hyde, a former resident of California, who came to this city with her family at the age of 5 years. The marriage was performed at St. Patrick's church by Rev. Fr. Shaw, now pastor of St. Michael's church.

The children are all living and are in very good health. Ten of them are boys, and Mr. Dineen says that when they are old enough, he will form a base ball team, and still have an extra one as a substitute, while the young girl may act as mascot for the team. The members of this happy family are: John, 19 years, an apprentice at Helme's electrical factory; Joseph, 17 years, a pupil at St. Patrick's parochial school, who will graduate this coming June after a two years' commercial

course; Alice, 15 years, a pupil at high school; William, 14 years, pupil at St. Patrick's parochial school; Paul, 12 years, also pupil at St. Patrick's parochial school; James, 10 years, pupil at Bartlett school; Leo, 7 years, and Charles, 6 years, both pupils at Bartlett school; Michael, Jr., 3 years, Edvard, 2 months, and Francis, 6 days.

Mr. Dineen is a member of Industry council, R. A., and of the Boston & Northern Street Railroad union. His home is at 25 Oliver street.

MANDAMUS WRIT

Counsel Will Agree on a Disposal

The mandamus proceedings having to do with the recent joint convention by the city council will be disposed of later, it was stated today, by agreement of counsel.

A PROTOCOL ASSURES PEACE BETWEEN PERU AND BOLIVIA

LIMA, Peru, March 31.—Dr. German Martinez, the minister of foreign affairs and Fernandez Alonzo, the Bolivian minister to Peru, last night, signed a protocol assuring amicable relations between Peru and Bolivia, pending the submission to the Hague tribunal of the points at issue over the boundary between the two countries.

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MADE A CONFESSION SHOT HIS SISTER

Former Merchant Says He Sent "Black Hand" Letters

CHICAGO, March 31.—Phillip Purpura, a former commission merchant, today confessed to the police that he had written no less than 25 letters to people of that suburb, with the directions enclosed. The police are trying to connect with the "Black Hand." Some of these were successful, he said. Purpura was arrested yesterday.

JAIL SENTENCE THE GAGE WILL

For Man Who Passed Worthless Check

WILLIMANTIC, Conn., March 31.—Gilbert I. Lowe, of Haverhill, Mass., was today sentenced to 30 days in jail by Judge Arnold in the police court for passing a worthless check on a local hotel-keeper, drawn on the Chapin National bank of Springfield, Mass., and signed with the name G. I. Lowe. When Lowe was arrested yesterday it was alleged that he was wanted in a number of other places, including Chicago, Mass., and Concord, N. H., for passing worthless checks and it is understood that the sentence imposed today is for the purpose of holding Lowe until the other places to which notification has been sent can take action.

OLIVER NEGUS

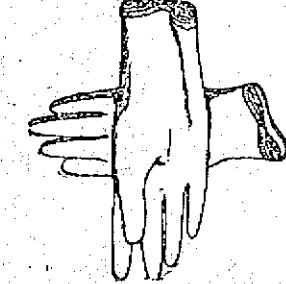
NAME OF MAN WHO DIED SUD- DENLY YESTERDAY

The young man who was taken sick in Fletcher street yesterday forenoon, and who died later at St. John's hospital of a hemorrhage of the lungs, was identified last night by Dr. J. V. Meigs as Oliver Negus. The deceased was 37 years of age and his home was at 25 Merrimack street. He leaves a sister, Annie. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Undertaker Finnegan in East Merrimack street.

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| Ext. Beef | 30c, 55c |
| Pierce's Discovery | 73c |
| Sagua | 75c |
| Sal-Hepatica | 73c |
| Seidlitz Powders | 17c doz. |
| Peluria | 63c |
| Fellows' Syrup Hypophos. | 91c |
| Pepto Mangan | 71c |
| Russell's Emulsion | 69c |
| Jaynes' Ext. of Malt, 17c, 3 for 50c | |
| Clapp's Malt and Oil | 59c |
| Varnish | 68c |
| Gray's Glycerine Tonic | 69c |
| Beef, Iron and Wine, qt. | 79c |
| Blood and Nerve Tonic, 60c, \$1.00 | |
| Riker's Syrup Hypophos. | 75c |

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You can ask anybody about our SATURDAY SPECIAL CHOCOLATES. There are tons sold every Satur- day. A 40c mixture, Saturday for- 20c. Vermont Maple Sugar, 7c Cake. A complete line of "Lover's," "Schantz's," "Apollo," "Licitation," "Excella" Sweets and Gums Chocolates.

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JAYNES' 50s. For the smoker who discriminates. Don't let the price stop you from try- ing this cigar. 7 for 25c. NAMELESS. Only a short time left and this cigar will have a name. It already has es- tablished a reputation for itself on its quality. Try it today. 6c. Do you know the taste of real Ha- vana? A great many advertise cigars to be made of the real Havana. We know this cigar is made of real Havana. CAPULETS 4 for 25c

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Let every man consider the serious- ness of entrusting his prescriptions to the handiest drug store just because it is convenient. We can prove to you or your physician that there are many reasons why we should be permitted to compound your prescriptions. We can afford to maintain facili- ties for the detection of impurities in drugs that would not be possible for the average retailer. We know every ingredient is the best obtainable. Under no condition is anyone but a registered man permitted to put up a prescription. Consider your health and the health of your family.

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PHILADELPHIA, March 31.—Roused by an unusual noise in his home at Lansdowne here early today and seeing a figure moving about in the dim light, Alexander Kerr, 18 years old, fired a shotgun at the object and then dis- covered that he had shot his sister, Nollie, 16 years old. The girl died with- in 15 minutes. The father of the two is a nightwatchman and was away from home. The grief-stricken young man's story was corroborated by the mother and the authorities have not taken action against him.

M. E. CONFERENCE SOUTH MANCHESTER, Conn., Mar. 31.—With the exception of the devo- tional service which opened the day's proceedings, the greater part of the morning session of the New England southern conference of the Methodist Episcopal church was given over to the transaction of conference business. Missions, home and foreign, were the chief subjects of interest provided by the afternoon program. If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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Now is the time for buying. Time is flying. Easter Sunday is hastening along. Do not wait until the last minute. Handsome flower trimmed hats in small, medium, and large shapes, particularly stylish creations with just enough trimmings to be distinctive and in good taste. We have put forth our very best efforts to give our patrons trimmed dress hats that would command in most places \$12.00 to \$15.00. For this week, \$4.98, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$10.00. It will pay you to see these hats.

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| Tailor Suit Small Hats | \$2.98 to \$4.98 |
| Ready-to-Wear Hats | 98c to \$1.98 |
| Knox Sallors | \$1.50 |
| Children's Trimmed and Ready-to-Wear Hats | \$1.98 to \$4.98 |

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Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman, of The Sun, before me, January 2, 1911. J. JOSEPH HENNESSY, Notary Public.

If we are to have auto races in September, we should endeavor to have some aviator give an exhibition. A number of Lowell men, including Congressman Ames, have been experimenting with airships and it is time they gave them a tryout. Auto races are now so common that the masses will not crowd to see them as they did on the first or even the second occasion on the Merrimack Valley course.

CENSOR OF THEATRICALS

Police Commissioner O'Meara of Boston is well qualified to act as censor in any theatrical performance and he has probably under him, men who are as competent to criticize as he himself. That being so, Mayor Fitzgerald has no need of depending upon his own judgment in passing upon plays. Supt. Welch of Lowell is the local censor, but he has not taken any radical action to excite the wrath of the theatrical men.

CONGRESS TO ASSEMBLE

In a few days congress will again assemble to discuss the reciprocity measure and a hot fight is expected. The republicans will find themselves in a minority in the lower branch, but they have still a majority in the senate. It is likely that some of the schedules that are notoriously high will be revised. Whatever is to be done should be done quickly so that there shall be as little disturbance of business as possible.

REPORT ALL LOCAL FIRE TRAPS

It would seem that Supt. Hosmer should be able to find certain buildings in the city that are not properly provided with exits and fire escapes. If any fire horror should occur here Supt. Hosmer would have to bear the brunt of the blame. For that reason he should cause his men to make a survey of the city and report upon all buildings that are not properly equipped against the possibility of a sudden outbreak of fire. Special attention should be given to the buildings in which large numbers of people are employed. A list of all buildings requiring attention in this respect should be reported to the mayor in order that proper steps may be taken for the due protection of life and property in case of fire.

THE GREAT FIRE PERIL

In the fire horror of New York city and the subsequent destruction of the capitol at Albany not only the state of New York but the entire country has an object lesson in the need of greater vigilance in the matter of providing protection against fire. Where the laws are lax and officials still worse, there is ever present the danger of such disasters as have visited New York state during the past week. How can such calamities be averted in the future? By strict laws to minimize the danger, to promote preventive measures and to maintain well disciplined fire departments. Unless heroic measures are adopted we may find some great conflagration such as that of Chelsea, Chicago or San Francisco to wipe out an entire city. The fire peril is becoming more dangerous as the years go by, and it would seem that legislative bodies are mainly to blame for the unguarded state of affairs in many cities and states.

That any state capitol should be left in such a dangerous condition as was that of New York, is beyond comprehension. That the priceless records of the city and state should have been exposed to loss by fire at any moment shows criminal negligence. There is a bad odor about the state capitol, not because of the fire, for this odor has attached to it for many years, in fact since the capitol was built. The structure has been the scene of many grafting schemes. The very construction of the building was the pretext for all kinds of swindling operations, mismanagement and incompetency. The building itself is located on a quicksand and parts of it have been sagging and sinking for years. The building was left without a tower on the assumption that this would be added later, but subsequently it was found that the foundation and supports were not strong enough to carry a tower. Is it any wonder that the building was an accumulation of botchery when the first architect after starting the work was dropped, the second abandoned it as a bad job and the third endeavored to make the best of the tangle. The New York capitol, it may be said, represents the work of many administrations, each of which sought to make money out of the job. Much that was badly done by one administration seemed to inspire other administrations to do something still worse until by the time the capitol was finished it had cost the state \$25,000,000 and was not worth half the amount. But had it been known to be, nobody supposed it was a firetrap that would burn up in a few hours in spite of all the efforts of fire companies.

There is here a sorry spectacle in the work of public construction and fire protection. How could sane men construct and furnish a state capitol without a safety vault for the preservation of valuable records? There may have been some apology of this kind, but it did not save the records from destruction. The whole affair is a disgrace to the state and especially to the political bosses and leaders. From Lucius Robinson to John A. Dix and including Theodore Roosevelt, Tom Platt and David B. Hill. It would be difficult to say now just where the weight of the blame lay for making the state capitol a tinder box, but it is quite probable that one party is as much to blame for this result as the other. Both apparently shared in the extravagance, mismanagement and incompetence that produced the monstrosity.

It is stated that \$4,000,000 will repair the damage. In all probability the expense will be more nearly \$10,000,000, and then the capitol will be still a mass of defects, a building scarcely sufficient to support its own weight. Many New York citizens have cause to regret that the building was not destroyed outright so that a capitol might be built to meet all requirements in a decent way and so that the state might eventually have a state capitol that in architecture and convenience might compare with some of the best in the country.



"Hello Central! Give me three double one two four ring twenty-three."

"Hello, May is this you?"

"Yes, dear, this is me."

"Where in the world May, have you been for the last two weeks? I have been looking for you at our old meeting places almost every day and sometimes twice a day. Yesterday I was sure I saw you at the Bon Marche and I was about to holler when I discovered my mistake. Mamma said she caught sight of you at Pollard's the day before but couldn't get to you because of the crowd. I hope you haven't been trying to avoid me?"

"Alice, dear, you know better than that. You know that I am always tickled to death to see you. I have called you several times on the phone and it was always a case of 'wire busy' or 'not at home.' Didn't they tell you I called?"

"Oh, they didn't tell me, and mamma always tells me when you call while I am out. I think, dear, you have been dreaming. But it does seem so good to hear your voice that I don't feel the least little bit like scolding. Have you been to the Opera House or the Hathaway this week?"

"Yes, I have seen the Christian at the Opera House, and it is grand."

"Well, I went to the Hathaway Monday night and I think that Donald Meek is just splendid in Shore Acres. I would like him better if he were a little larger. I didn't know until Monday night that he is married and really, I had fallen quite in love with him. I like talented people. Perhaps that's why I'm so fond of you."

"Oh, Alice, aren't you the—hello, hello, hello—what in the world is the matter with this line. I suppose it's that Mrs. Pedigree breaking in again. Isn't she the oddest thing?"

"Yes, she just makes me so good and tired. She thinks she ought to be occupying this line the live long time. I was talking with Willis the other evening and I'll bet that if she broke in once she did a dozen times. Our telephones were in three years before she

ever thought of having one and she seems to think that she has just as much right on this line as we have. She's not in our set and she ought to take a tumble and keep off the line. That will hold her for a while if she happens to be listening and I bet she is."

"Alice, dear, I do like to hear you go it. When it comes to talking you are certainly an artist. But we were talking about the theatres."

"You said you went to the Opera House?"

"Yes, Jack and I went to the Opera House, Monday night, and if you were half as smitten on Donald—Donald—what's his name as I was on the leading man, you have my sympathy. I do think that Forrest Stanley at the Opera House is a peach. I told Jack so and he said he thought the leading lady is better. Isn't he horrid?"

"Oh, yes I always thought so."

"Now, Alice, don't be sarcastic. I know that 'yes' is a tender feeling for Jack. If you think him such a horrid boor, I shouldn't think you would recognize him on the street, but you do and he told me he had a long talk with you not many days ago."

"Oh, yes, I saw him as I was on the street. I'm not the jealous kind."

"Well, May, he said he liked a plain hat like mine, as beauty unadorned is then adorned the most."

"He said that, did he?"

"Sure, and he told me your new hat was not becoming to you at all."

"Well, I guess I had better tell him some of the nice things you have said about him."

"Ha! ha! May, I know I'd get you rattled. Don't get mad."

"Hello! Hello!"

"Goodness there's Mrs. Pedigree again and she's cutting the superior to put us off the line so she can order a yeast cake from the grocery store."

"Skidoo's the word."

"Good bye May."

"Good bye Alice, isn't it mean that we can't talk a couple of minutes without interruptions?"

SEEN AND HEARD

It isn't legal proof that a man is honest and all right because he has never been arrested.

The wise man always thinks before he speaks. This shows how few of us are wise.

In your idea of heaven, how do you provide a place for the people that you don't like?

Just because a young man tells a girl that she is a peach, she has no reason to be conceited. Some peaches are green, disagreeable-looking things.

What business has an old bachelor to go swilling around, obviously allied with the idea that he is the best man at the wedding?

A young man is expected always to defer to an old one, even when the old

man doesn't know a quarter part as much.

The economical housekeeper doesn't fully enjoy dining at a restaurant because there is so much apparent waste.

Jimmy and his pals were playing marbles as the new minister came along.

"Boys," said the newcomer, "can you show me the way to the postoffice?" Jimmy pointed the way and then returned to his marbles.

"Little man," said the minister, "don't you know it is wrong to play marbles; that it is a form of gambling."

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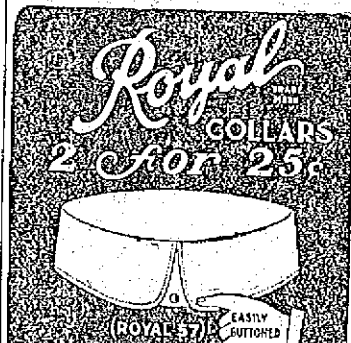
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NEW HACK RATES

The undersigned Hack Drivers of Lowell agree on the following prices for Carriages for Funerals, Weddings, and Christenings, April 1, 1911:

| PLACES AND PRICES | |
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| Funerals in Lowell to all Cemeteries | \$4.00 |
| Funerals in Lowell to St. Joseph's Cemetery | 4.00 |
| Funerals in Navy Yard to St. Joseph's Cemetery | 5.00 |
| Funerals in Lowell to all Cemeteries | 4.00 |
| Funerals in Collingsville, to all Lowell Cemeteries | 7.00 |
| Funerals in Lowell to Navy Yard beyond Center or Navy Yard 5.00 to 7.00 | |
| Funerals in Black North District | 2.00 |
| Funerals in Kaywood, Elmora, Yarnum Landing | 3.00 |
| Funerals in Pelham Center | 5.00 |
| Funerals in Jewish Cemetery | 5.50 |
| Funerals in North Chelmsford | 7.00 |
| Funerals in West Chelmsford | 7.00 |
| Funerals in South Chelmsford | 7.00 |
| Funerals in Chelmsford Center | 7.00 |
| Funerals in North Billerica | 7.00 |
| Funerals in Billerica Center | 7.00 |
| Funerals in East Billerica | 7.00 |
| Funerals in Center and North Tewksbury | 7.00 |
| Funerals in Westford | 7.00 |
| Funerals in Tyngsboro | 7.00 |
| Funerals in Andover | 10.00 |
| Funerals in Littleton | 12.00 |
| Funerals in Concord | 12.00 |
| Funerals in Nashua | 12.00 |
| Funerals in Lawrence | 12.00 |
| Funerals in Carleton, Graniteville, Forge Village | 5.00 |
| Weddings in Lowell, \$4.00, and call | 5.00 |
| Christenings | 2.50 |

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Come with me and I will show you the way to heaven.

"Aw, cheese it, mister," said Jimmy, "you show me the way to heaven, why you don't even know the way to the postoffice."—National Monthly.

THE DAYS OF LONG AGO When life burns to ashes that held but an ember— A fast fading spark of their olden time glow— The memory's forgetful, but the heart will remember— The deeper delights of the days long ago.

A mother's devotion, unfailing, unbounded, Her loving caress, her smiles, and her tears, A sister's affection no plummet bath sounded, No tempest hath ruffled in all the long years.

Another—a vision of beauty and splendor— That Time and his shadows can never eclipse— Comes back in the gleaming, with eyes soft and tender, And thrills you again with the touch of her lips.

The world is enchanted, a wonderful palace, Dream-built and celestial, 'Inviting repose; You drink the rich draught of a nectar-brimmed chalice And life is as fragrant and sweet as a rose.

It may be that, still in your memory lingers A child's artless prattle, with love in its tone, The sweet pressure felt of a baby's soft fingers, Pink, clinging, and dimpled—entwined with your own.

Not darkness nor slumber effaces the token That Sorrow, unbidden, once came as your guest, That voice has been hushed into silence unbroken, Those hands now are folded in infinite rest.

Your steps may be slow and your locks may be hoary, Approaching the end of your pilgrim-age here, And yet the recital of one little story, Like rain in the desert, will freshen and cheer.

And thus Retrospection—from May to December— What favors or fortune may come at your call— Will never forget, and the heart will remember That Love was the jewel outshining them all!

PEOPLE OF NOTE

The historic Strozz Palace, in Florence, one of the monuments of the Renaissance, is to be devoted to business purposes. A bank will probably occupy its ground floor, and above it will be installed a permanent "exhibition," which will be in reality a gallery for the sale of old and modern paintings, being the private undertaking of a number of Florentine art leaders. The palace was bequeathed in 1907 to the state or the city, which ever chose to take the gift and pay the mortgages, by Prince Piero Strozz, but neither the government of Italy nor the municipality of Florence has ever indicated its willingness to accept the bequest. The family is therefore forced to make the ancient property productive. Its art treasures were sold piece by piece long ago.

According to the Library Journal, Andrew Carnegie made, during 1910, gifts of fifty-five library buildings in the United States, costing a total of \$220,000. These ranged from \$3,000 to \$20,000. He gave \$100,000 to Reading, Pa. The Massachusetts cities of towns which received gifts were Ashfield, Brockton and Worcester. Former gifts were increased, in eight cases, to the total amount of \$16,300. In Canada, he gave money amounting to \$106,500 for seven new buildings, and made six increases of former gifts to a total of \$23,000.

Nine new buildings were provided for in England and Wales at a cost of \$24,837. Increases of former gifts amounted to \$13,551. Seven Scotch libraries were founded at a cost of \$4,193, and increases were made to the sum of \$842. Irish libraries received \$2,050, and one library

—at Barbertain, Transvaal—Colony

was founded with a gift of \$200. For college libraries, Mr. Carnegie increased two former gifts, both in the United States by \$215,000 altogether.

The total amount of his gifts for college and public library buildings during 1910 was \$1,382,565, against \$1,876,250 in 1909. Since he began his donations he has given 2,177 library buildings at a cost of \$54,886,710.

NOTED ORGANIST DEAD

PARIS, March 31.—Felix Alexandre Gullmann, the noted organist died yesterday. He was born in 1837. He was for many years organist of Trinity church, and was president of the Society of Composers.

GOOD ADVICE ABOUT ECZEMA

ECZEMA is so common and so many people suffer from it in one form or another that in medical circles the advice is sometimes jokingly given to deal every doubtful skin eruption "eczema." This is really not bad advice, for if the eczema treatment fails, then the disease is plainly something else. A good plan, whenever there is an eruption, is to apply Cadum. If there is itching, Cadum will stop it, and the sore places will heal. In other forms of skin diseases, such as redness, pimples, blotches, rash, roughness, scaly skin, chafings, acne, sores, ulcers, eruptions, hives, tetters, itch, herpes, psoriasis, ringworm, itching piles, etc., Cadum will also be found highly beneficial. By all means try this remarkable remedy, and satisfy yourself as to whether your trouble is eczema or something else. Trial box 10c.

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GRAND OFFICERS

Visited the Odd Fellows of This City and Billerica

Last night was a red letter night with the Odd Fellows of this city and Billerica, the occasion being the visitation of some of the grand officers of the grand lodge of Massachusetts, I. O. O. F., to Grand Union, Highland-Veritas, Oshin, Centralville, and Lowell lodges of this city and Shawshoeen of Billerica, at Odd Fellows temple in Middlesex street. There were about 400 present and a grand reception was tendered the officials, after which a banquet was held and speeches were made. There were a number of guests in attendance including delegations from out of town lodges.

The local lodges were represented by large delegations. Among the grand officers present were: Grand Master Horace M. Sargent of Haverhill, Grand Instructor Webber of Boston and Deputy Grand Master George L. Marshall of West Somerville. These officers and others held a reception from 8 to 8:30 p.m. and then a business session was held at which the first degree was worked before the visitors.

Inasmuch as last night was the regular meeting night of the Grand Union lodge, the business of the lodge was transacted as usual. At the conclusion of the business session those present repaired to the banquet hall where an excellent menu was discussed. After the inner man had been satisfied speeches were in order. Herbert C. Riddick acting as toastmaster. Mr. Riddick spoke briefly on the work of the organization in this city and then called on the grand officers for remarks. Noble Grand W. H. Lussure of Monadnock lodge of Lawrence, who was accompanied by about

50 members from Lawrence, also spoke. Others who contributed to the evening's program were Russell Fox and Warren Reid. A vaudeville sketch from the Colonial theatre was well received and remarks by M. C. True, of Beverly, formerly of Lowell, were appreciated.

The general committee in charge of



MR. H. C. RIDDICK
Toastmaster

LOWELL DAY NURSERY ASSOCIATION

The annual meeting of Lowell Day Nursery Association will be held at the Nursery House, Nos. 64-66 Kirk street, Lowell, on Saturday, April 8, 1911, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the following purposes:

1. To hear the report of the treasurer.
 2. To elect new members to the association.
 3. To elect officers for the ensuing year.
- To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

JOHN J. ROGERS, Clerk.

Burton, W. S. Essex, Frank S. Bartlett, O. V. Roby, W. O. Farrell, A. W. Floyd, Frank C. Nickels and C. A. Marshall. The chairman of the supper committee was C. A. Upton; chairman of reception committee, C. O. Munroe; chairman of entertainment committee, H. C. Riddick. The supper was served by the Women's auxiliary of the Y. W. C. A. It was close to the midnight hour when the affair was brought to a close.

AN INSANE MAN

SHOT THE FIRST THREE MEN HE MET

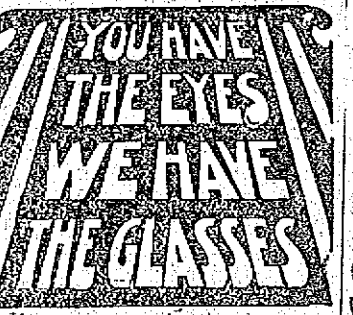
BURLINGTON, Wash., March 31.—William Weegin, a rancher of South Prairie, became violently insane yesterday, and taking a rifle went out on a country road and shot and killed the first three passers-by, who were John Ranke, William Ranke and John Ware, all of Burlington.

So far as known Weegin knew none of the victims, but possessed by a murderous mania, killed the first persons who came within his range. After the shooting, Weegin mounted a horse and rode away with his rifle. A posse has gone in pursuit.

G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT

ORDERS ISSUED BY COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF

BOSTON, March 31.—John E. Gilman, commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, in general orders, announced the preliminary plans for the 45th national encampment to be held at Rochester, N. Y., during the week beginning August 21. Headquarters assignments at the various hotels are given and the appointment of comrades from New England states to the command-in-chief's staff. Among the latter are Royal B. Bradford of Lewiston, Me.; M. Thibblits of Bangor, Me.; John A. Hazellon of Chester, N. H.; and David Spearshy of Groveland, N. H.



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Samuel Abbott, Victim of Capitol Fire in Albany

The Body Was Charred Almost Beyond Recognition—Debris is Searched for Valuable Manuscripts—Volunteer Salvage Corps is at Work

ALBANY, N. Y., March 31.—The body of Samuel Abbott, the human victim of the state capitol fire, was found in the southwest corner of the building where the flames raged fiercest. The body was charred beyond recognition. Identified by means of a watch. Workmen clearing away the ruins of the southwest cupola, the only part of the exterior wall to give way, found the remains of the aged night watchman in a little corridor on the fourth floor. That portion of the building was honeycombed with temporary partitions and floors and since the flames did not reach it until nearly an hour after the fire started it is believed that Abbott was overcome by smoke before the fire touched him or that he lost his life in a vain attempt to rescue some of the state's valuable relics.

The body will be taken for burial to Syracuse, Mr. Abbott's former home, where his wife's grave is located.

A volunteer salvage corps including officers of the state library and headed by Director Wyer, Jr., and N. H. Stokes Phelps of New York, continued today the search of the debris for valuable manuscripts. Mr. Phelps is a man of wealth and leisure, who has specialized in the salvage of manuscripts and when the trustees of the New York public library heard of the state's irreparable loss they sent him to help rescue what he could.

Mr. Phelps helped salvage many old manuscripts from the wreck of the burned Turin library in Italy.

The state library school, regarded as one of the finest in the country probably will be taken elsewhere when the next term begins.

Library Director Wyer says that an offer of Columbia may be accepted temporarily next year.

ENGLISH CREWS

Oxford and Cambridge Evenly Matched

LONDON, March 31.—The Oxford and Cambridge crews, which will row over the Putney in the annual "university race tomorrow, are about as evenly matched, judging from appearances, as any two eights that have met for some years.

Cambridge had the better material to choose from, a number of her men having had several seasons' experience in the boat. Oxford on the other hand, was obliged to build up a new crew. Nevertheless, when they came down to business to conclude their training, the Dark Blues were slight favorites. Since then Cambridge has improved more rapidly, and rowing men have found it difficult to pick the winner.

STUDENTS STRIKE

Instruction at College Suspended

SPOKANE, Wash., Mar. 31.—Instruction was suspended at the Washington State college yesterday as the result of a strike of students. At a meeting Wednesday night it was decided that all the 1200 students would remain away from classes until the culprits who participated in an attack on the girls' dormitory early Tuesday were apprehended and expelled.

During the attack on the dormitory, the beds of more than a dozen young women were overturned, and the girls were then hauled around the floor in the bedding. Evidence is said to be strong against a half-dozen students who are prominent in athletics. Several girls are prostrated as a result of fright or through the treatment they underwent. A number suffered injuries.

TO CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY NEW YORK, March 31.—The national committee for the celebration of the 100th anniversary of peace among the English-speaking peoples, held a meeting in New York last night, at which resolutions were adopted endorsing the proposed arbitration treaty between the United States and Great Britain.

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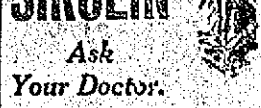


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BOSTON CITY HALL

Is Reported to Be a Fire Trap

Commissioner Rourke Says Escapes Should be Provided for Upper Stories — Mayor Fitzgerald Says He Will Have it Made Safe—Old Court House Will be Equipped

BOSTON, March 31.—While the court was taking action in the cases of owners accused of failure to equip dwelling houses with fire escapes, and the officials in city hall were discussing the crusade against firetraps, Commissioner Rourke of the department of public works created something of a sensation by notifying Mayor Fitzgerald that the city hall itself is a firetrap.

He declared the building should be equipped immediately with fire escapes. The mayor promised that escapes would be put up at once.

The commissioner's office is on the fifth floor of city hall and he said that if he was to remain there fire escapes must be provided. He said there is no means of getting out of city hall from any of the floors above the School street entrance except by a bridge that connects the building with the old city hall and he said that on Tremont street and Court square.

The bridge connection is on the third floor, so that from the floors above, where are the offices of the engineers of the various divisions, the headquarters of the public works department, the statistics department and other departments, it would be necessary to jump in the event of the occupants being cut off by fire.

It was also pointed out that the old court house building, wherein is housed the building department, is absolutely without fire escapes and this matter, too, will probably be brought to the attention of Supt. of Buildings Fish.

Asks for Injunctions
Assistant Corporation Counsel Adams appeared before Judge Pierce in the equity session of the superior court yesterday and asked for injunctions against the owners of eight buildings that are reported as not adequately equipped with fire escapes and means of egress.

In the afternoon Commissioner Everett of the building department presented three additional names of owners of buildings to the mayor, and similar action will be taken in the latter cases.

In the cases of the first eight, Judge Pierce allowed the owners one week in which to take action. These owners and the locations of the properties complained of are:

Albert R. Whitler and Edwin S. Woodbury, trustees, of 190-192 Commercial street.
Angelo de Rosa and Assunta de Simone, 371-373 Hanover street.
Teresa L. Leonard, 53-55 Albany street.
David C. and Samuel S. Seager, 32 Oxford street.
Fannie and Zellek Shindler, 100 Brighton street.
Charles D. Tower, 23 Allston street.
Abby E. Taylor, 13 Church street.
Harlow H. Rogers, holder of a tax title, and Mary A. Gately, guardian of Grant, and Olive P. Gately, actual owners, and Angelo De Rosa, tenant, 153 Salem street.

Atty. Adams told Judge Pierce that in all but one case, that at 13 Church street, work had already been started by the owners, and in some instances was nearly finished. It is understood that if work is not begun on the Church street building within a week an injunction will be granted. The orders

for the changes were issued by the building commissioners during 1908, 1909 and 1910.

Show Has Sprinkler, But No Water
The three additional cases of alleged violation of the law reported to Mayor Fitzgerald by Commissioner Everett yesterday are:

Joanna Scamell, 17 Charter street.
Raffaele Jennini, 218 North street.
Martha H. Dyer, 134 Hampden street.

On of the inspectors of the building department informed Commissioner Everett that in Brighton he found a moving picture house that was provided with a water sprinkler, but no water. The commissioner promised to personally attend to that particular case and to other picture houses in the heart of the city.

The commissioner said he is handicapped in the work because of lack of inspectors. There are only three inspectors in the department who are at present qualified to serve, and they are in the employ of the schoolhouse department as clerks on buildings. Under the requirements of the department, a building inspector must be an architect, a builder, a civil engineer, a foreman of building construction for at least five years or a competent mechanic who has been in charge of building construction for the same period.

\$300,000 GIFT

Dr. Pearson to Celebrate Birthday

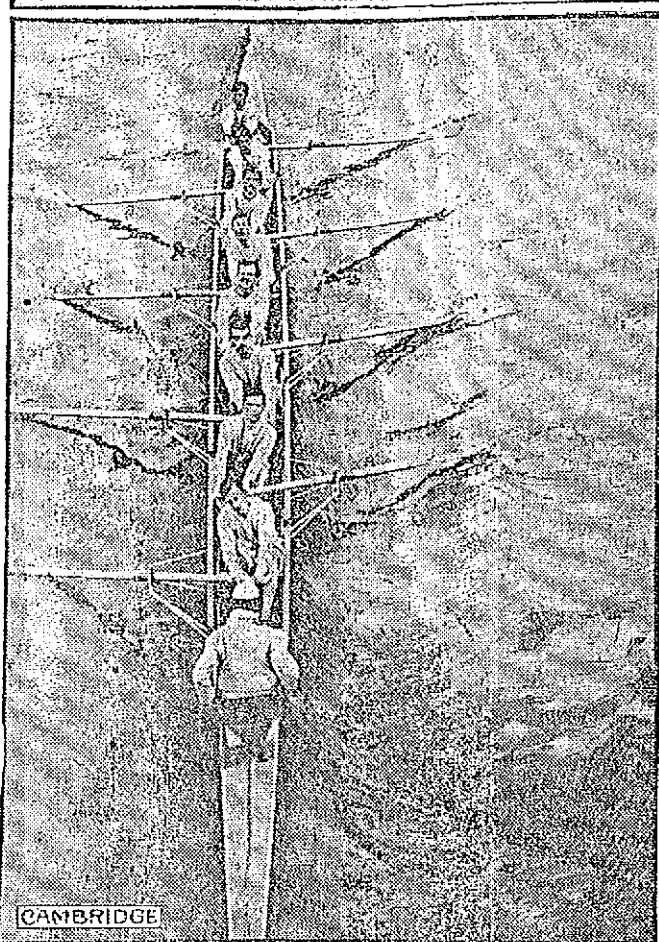
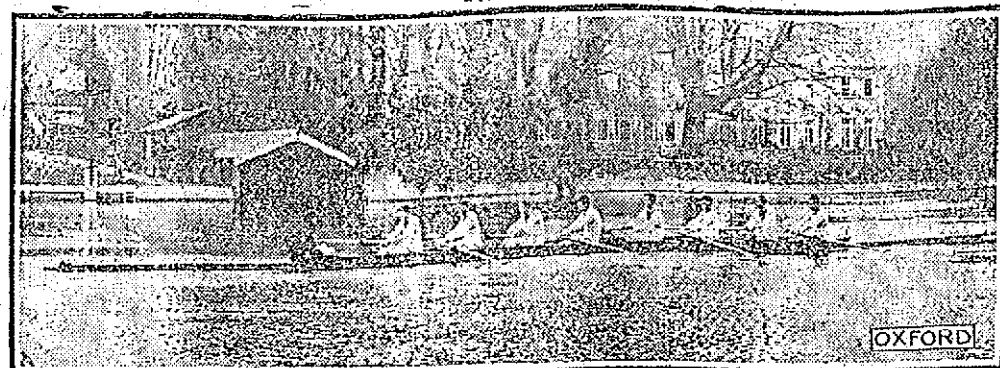
CHICAGO, March 31.—Dr. D. K. Pearson of Hinsdale, a suburb, will celebrate his 91st birthday April 14th, by the distribution of \$300,000 to schools and religious organizations. This will make his total distributions of recent years nearly \$5,000,000, most of which has been given to small colleges.

The gifts are formed by Dr. Pearson as "debts" in most cases are fulfillments of his pledges to different bodies of certain sums when they should have collected other stipulated amounts. The money to be given April 14th, will be distributed as follows:

American board of foreign missions, \$100,000.
Bera college, Kentucky, \$100,000.
Donne college, Nebraska, \$25,000.
North Land college, Wisconsin, \$10,000.
Highland college, Kansas, \$10,000.
McKendree college, Illinois, \$10,000.
Other smaller gifts, \$15,000.

"I shall celebrate my birthday by getting out of debt," said Dr. Pearson. "A year ago I gave notice that I would be getting old by this time and that a young man of my age had no business being in debt. I shall lie down on April 14th out of debt for the first time in many years. I have had these outstanding pledges for many years and have worked them off as one after an-

OXFORD AND CAMBRIDGE CREWS READY FOR ANNUAL RACE ON THAMES



LONDON, March 31.—The annual Oxford-Cambridge boat race, which is scheduled to be held this year April 1st, promises to be as exciting as ever. The men of both crews are in excellent condition for a hard struggle, and the best judges are reluctant to indulge in predictions as to the result. The betting has been in favor of Oxford, but the Cantabs have improved so much of late that it will be at even odds on the eve of the event. Oxford and Cambridge have rowed sixty-seven races. Oxford winning thirty-six and Cambridge thirty, and one (1877) resulted in a dead heat. The distance from Putney to Mortlake is four miles. The best record for the distance is 18 minutes and 47 seconds, made by Oxford in 1893 and Cambridge in 1900. Oxford won last year by three and one-half lengths.

A GREAT RUSH

For Liquor Licenses in Lawrence

LAWRENCE, March 31.—Yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock the time for filing applications for liquor licenses expired and 115 applications were registered with the license commissioners at that time, which is 23 more than ever applied before.

With the knowledge that the last chance to kill or amend the bar and bottle bill had passed with the legislature's action on Monday afternoon the liquor dealers of this city have since then flocked to the office of the license commissioners to file applications for licenses. The city is entitled to 55 licenses according to the recent census and there are 30 applications which must be turned down.

Of the 115 applications there are about 25 new applicants who have not filed liquor before. Between twelve and fifteen applied for both first and fourth class licenses.

Richard A. Carter, who, for many years has conducted the Central house on Essex street, has applied for a fourth class license in the Goldberg block at the corner of Amesbury and Common streets. Mr. Carter was recently ordered to vacate to make room for a new five and ten cent store.

Many of the dealers believed that the bar and bottle bill would be killed or amended, and not until the legislative ultimatum became known did they reconcile themselves to the new order of things. The near approach of the time limit in which to file applications—Thursday noon, March 30—was another reason for the hike to the license board's office.

BENNY KAUFMAN

GIVEN THE DECISION OVER YOUNG DYSON

THORNTON, R. I., March 31.—Benny Kaufman of Philadelphia, for the third time this season, was given the decision last night over Young Dyson of Providence in a 16-round bout at the Rhode Island Athletic club. Dyson forced the fighting practically all the way, but with the exception of a few rounds towards the end, Kaufman's superiority was very evident. The decision was well received.

The semi-final between Johnny Daley of Cambridge, Mass., and Young Telle of Taunton, Mass., was stopped by Referee Abbott in the second round, when it was apparent that Daley was in bad shape.

COMMODIOUS HOME

FOR AMERICAN ACADEMY OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

BOSTON, March 31.—The American Academy of Arts and Sciences has begun the construction of a commodious new home at its old site on Newbury street. The building will be erected as a memorial to the late Prof. Agassiz, president of the academy in 1893, from funds provided by the will of the great naturalist. The chief feature of the new building will be a large library and an assembly room for the monthly meetings of the academy.

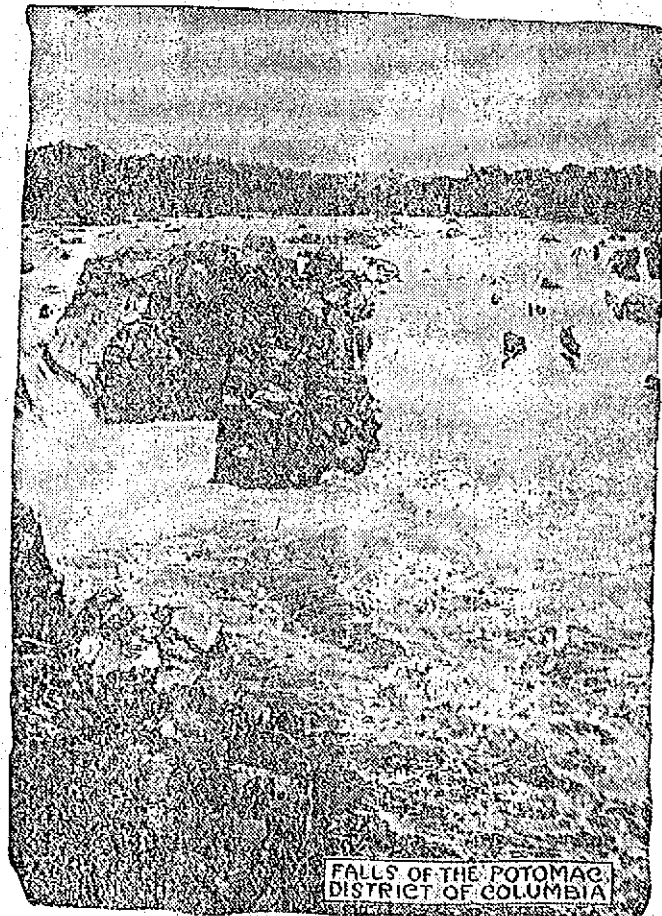
The American Academy of Arts and Sciences has been in existence since 1780. Among its early members were George Washington, Benjamin Franklin and John Adams.

MRS. COOPER DEAD

OAKLAND, Cal., March 31.—Mrs. Ida McKinley Cooper, a niece of President McKinley, died here last night. Mrs. Cooper's death was preceded by a long illness.

Open an account in The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank. April 1st is "Quarter Day."

FIGHT OVER PLAN TO DEFACE POTOMAC RIVER FALLS



WASHINGTON, March 31.—A bitter known attraction to sightseers. The fight is certain to occur at the special plan of some of the members of congress, opening April 1st, is to permit a company to es- over the question of the defacing of a power plant at the falls to the falls of the Potomac, above the utilize the water power for commercial bridge leading to the Virginia side of purposes. Vigorous opposition will the river. These falls are noted for be made in any attempt to ruin this their picturesque beauty and are a well scene of natural beauty.

LES MISERABLES REAR ADMIRAL

Took Two Points From the Brownies

Promotion for Capt. Chas. Badger

The Brownies were no match for Les Miserables last night and as a result the latter team captured two of the three points. The Brownies started out strong and won the first string but failed to show any form in the second and third strings.

In the Bridge Street Bowls league The Buffets won two points, but lost the total in the game with the Sunkist Lemons. Harmon of the "sour team" was high man.

The New York, New Haven & Hartford team of the Minor league defeated the Ramblers by a wide margin last night but fell down in the third string and thereby lost one point.

The game between the Clerks and Solicitors of the Steady Bridge league resulted in a victory for the Clerks who won two of the three strings and took the total pinfall by two pins.

The scores:

EAST MERRIMACK ST. LEAGUE

Les Miserables

| | 1 | 2 | 3 | Totals |
|----------|-----|-----|-----|--------|
| Harriman | 98 | 93 | 94 | 285 |
| Burns | 92 | 81 | 80 | 253 |
| Shea | 85 | 80 | 110 | 275 |
| Cole | 86 | 101 | 93 | 280 |
| Hall | 82 | 103 | 78 | 263 |
| Totals | 441 | 458 | 455 | 1354 |

Brownies

| | 1 | 2 | 3 | Totals |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|--------|
| J. Martin | 83 | 89 | 82 | 254 |
| L. Martin | 83 | 83 | 73 | 239 |
| McManus | 87 | 80 | 87 | 254 |
| B. Martin | 92 | 80 | 89 | 261 |
| Gilligan | 106 | 85 | 83 | 274 |
| Totals | 453 | 422 | 461 | 1336 |

MINOR LEAGUE

N. Y., N. H. & H.

| | 1 | 2 | 3 | Totals |
|--------|-----|-----|-----|--------|
| Myrick | 95 | 104 | 82 | 281 |
| Slarpe | 95 | 86 | 87 | 268 |
| Brook | 104 | 101 | 95 | 299 |
| Keegan | 92 | 93 | 92 | 277 |
| Croft | 92 | 98 | 85 | 275 |
| Totals | 475 | 486 | 455 | 1422 |

Ramblers

| | 1 | 2 | 3 | Totals |
|--------|-----|-----|-----|--------|
| Abbott | 89 | 84 | 89 | 262 |
| Groves | 100 | 89 | 93 | 282 |
| Moody | 89 | 91 | 120 | 300 |
| Burns | 90 | 82 | 82 | 254 |
| Keyes | 79 | 101 | 96 | 276 |
| Totals | 447 | 448 | 479 | 1374 |

BRIDGE STREET BOWLWAY

Sunkist Lemons

| | 1 | 2 | 3 | Totals |
|---------|-----|-----|-----|--------|
| Lyons | 81 | 115 | 81 | 277 |
| Harmon | 107 | 113 | 83 | 303 |
| Houston | 83 | 84 | 80 | 247 |
| Donohue | 75 | 80 | 73 | 228 |
| Locke | 93 | 94 | 87 | 274 |
| Totals | 439 | 456 | 403 | 1303 |

Buffets

| | 1 | 2 | 3 | Totals |
|-------------|-----|-----|-----|--------|
| Capt. Grant | 91 | 77 | 87 | 255 |
| Breen | 85 | 80 | 84 | 249 |
| Lee | 104 | 109 | 86 | 299 |
| J. Grant | 84 | 93 | 82 | 259 |
| Peabody | 90 | 85 | 94 | 269 |
| Totals | 454 | 454 | 413 | 1321 |

MOODY BRIDGE LEAGUE

Clerks

| | 1 | 2 | 3 | Totals |
|------------|-----|-----|-----|--------|
| F. Dubois | 81 | 99 | 90 | 270 |
| Sturtevant | 99 | 95 | 81 | 275 |
| Monier | 77 | 87 | 82 | 246 |
| J. Fronix | 85 | 83 | 91 | 259 |
| E. Proulx | 73 | 67 | 87 | 227 |
| Totals | 420 | 431 | 451 | 1282 |

Solicitors

| | 1 | 2 | 3 | Totals |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|--------|
| Choquette | 74 | 96 | 90 | 260 |
| Harolds | 80 | 101 | 85 | 266 |
| Allard | 73 | 85 | 94 | 252 |
| Groves | 85 | 86 | 86 | 257 |
| Keyes | 83 | 83 | 84 | 250 |
| Totals | 400 | 451 | 429 | 1280 |

AMERICAN TEAM SECOND

BERLIN, March 31.—The international six-day bicycle race, which opened here last night, was won by Walter Rutt and Johann Stoll, the German-Dutch team, who covered 3406 kilometers (2113 miles). Floyd McFarland and James Moran, the American team, was second, about a third of a mile behind.

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10c Cigar

Largest selling brand of 10c cigars in the world. ENOUGH SAID—Facts, Manchester, New Hampshire.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Captain Charles J. Badger, commanding the battleship Kansas, has been promoted



to rear admiral to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Admiral Fremont. Admiral Badger will command the second division of the Atlantic fleet.

NOTED PREACHER

At Mission for Men at St. Margaret's

A powerful sermon on "Judgment" was delivered at St. Margaret's mission for men last evening by Rev. Fr. Alexis of the Passionist Order who has come here to take the place of Fr. Boniface, who is ill. Fr. Alexis is one of the most noted preachers in the order, and recently closed a three weeks' mission at the Cathedral in Boston. Next week he will open a week's retreat for non-Catholics in the Cathedral.

GREAT INTEREST

In Murder Trial in Vermont

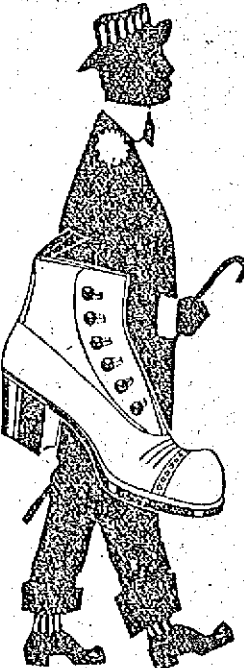
GUILDHALL, Vt., March 31.—A murder trial which is expected to attract much attention in New England will be opened in the Essex county court here one month from tomorrow. On Monday, May 1, Mrs. J. Marshall Dodge will be placed on trial on the charge of killing William Heath at her home in Lunenburg. Heath was shot on Sept. 10th 1910, while he and Mrs. Dodge were apparently alone. Mrs. Dodge is the wealthiest woman in Lunenburg, her husband having left her \$25,000.

BROKE PLATE GLASS WINDOW

Two high school boys fell through one of the plate glass windows of the United Cigar store in Merrimack street yesterday afternoon. The boys were having a friendly scuffle and they clinched and one of them went up against the glass with force sufficient to break it. The loud crash of the breaking glass attracted the attention of everyone in the vicinity. Patrolman Murphy after securing the names of the boys allowed them to go to their homes.

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